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Many Allied Air Raids in Europe

THE week-end air raids included the bombing by the Allies of the German towns of Hanover, Krefeld and Aachen, the Daimler aircraft components factory at Steyr in Austria, railway yards at Brod, in Yugo-Slavia, and the towns of Mostar and Bihac.

The British Air Ministry report yesterday stated :

"On Saturday night, Mosquitos of Bomber Command attacked objectives in Hanover, Krefeld and Aachen. Mines were laid in enemy waters.

"None of our aircraft is missing."

Hanover, in North-West Germany, has important industrial installations and railroad yards. Aachen is in the Rhine coal and war production area, with important railroads. Krefeld, with a peacetime population of 200,000, is the centre of textile and engineering in Western Germany.

Probably up to 250 Liberators of the United States 8th Air Force attacked industrial targets in South-West Germany early on Saturday, the Press Association states. They and their escort of Thunderbolts and Mustangs shot down six Luftwaffe fighters which intercepted them. Twelve bombers and four fighters are missing. Planes on the ground were destroyed by the fighters, which dived low over German airfields.

Other Thunderbolts attacked targets in the Bremen and Hanover areas, shooting up 16 locomotives and damaging tugs and barges.

Strong formations of Flying Fortresses and Liberators, with escorts of Thunderbolts and Lightnings also attacked the Daimler Puch Aircraft Components factory at Steyr, which is 90 miles west of Vienna. The formations met intense fighter opposition and A.A. defences.

Other Fortresses yesterday bombed rail yards at Brod, in Yugo-Slavia, on the main rail line between Belgrade and Zagreb. Liberators also attacked Mostar, 50 miles north-east of Split, and rail yards at Bihac, 50 miles north of Zara.

American bombers, accompanied by an "extraordinarily strong" fighter escort, flew over the Alps towards South-east Germany, according to a Berlin station yesterday, says Reuter. The first warning was broadcast at 10.50 a.m., and at midday Luxemburg radio announced that the raider formations were then over the south-eastern territory. An hour later German radio said the bombers were flying away from the area.

According to German accounts, fierce air battles took place over Northern Italy, the Alps and South Germany. German single and two-engined fighters were said to have attacked the American bombers in a most persistent fashion, and shot down 12 aircraft from one wave alone. The bombers, it was also claimed, were forced to break formation.

SWISS PROTEST

The German News Agency claimed last night 51 United States aircraft, including 41 four-engined bombers, were shot down over the Alps.

The Swiss Minister in Washington has been asked to lodge an "energetic protest" with the United States Government against the accidental bombing of Schaffhausen, on the Rhine, by planes of U.S. on Saturday, said Swiss radio yesterday, a Reuter telegram states. Mr. Leland Harrison, United States Minister in Berne, has expressed his regret to the Swiss Government. It is reported that 35 were killed, 55 seriously injured, and 200 to 300 rendered homeless.

Many fires were still blazing in Schaffhausen, the German News Agency said yesterday, and districts have been roped off because of unexploded bombs.

The Americans announce that owing to difficulties of navigation in bad weather some bombs fell on Swiss territory by mistake.

Swiss Radio (Neuchatel) said last night that all Switzerland is indignant. It is unbelievable that the American pilots should have mistaken Swiss territory, which is characteristically different from German territory. More particularly, Switzerland lies on the left bank of the Rhine."—(Reuter.)

A Reuter telegram from Washington last night stated that the State Department had no comment to make last night on the oral protest made by the Swiss Minister. No formal protest has yet been made.

Eden as Premier

Mr. Edgar Granville (Ind., Eye, Suffolk) said at East Stoke, Hampshire, on Saturday, that it is strongly suggested that the Prime Minister is about to make changes in the Government. "It would be most unfortunate," he said, "if, as is suggested, Mr. Anthony Eden gave up the Foreign Office at a time when there is a tendency to drift towards a dual foreign policy. If the writing on the wall is right, he is destined one day for the position of supreme leadership."

Synthetic Petrol And Coal
A PROCESS for making petrol and coal from farm, forest and sea plants, enough to supply the world's needs more simply and cheaply than other synthetic methods, is announced by the American Chemical Society.
The process telescopes into a few hours, with heat and pressure, what nature took millions of years to do, states an Associated Press message from Cleveland, Ohio. It has been perfected by Dr. Berl, Research Professor at the Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh.

ELECTION BELIEVED UNLIKELY

By Our Political Correspondent.

MR. FINIAN LYNCH, T.D., in a speech during the week-end in Co. Kerry, gave further currency to rumours which have circulated freely in the parliamentary lobbies at Leinster House for some time. These rumours appear to have been based mainly on alleged approaches made by the Taoiseach to the Clann na Talmhan Party seeking an arrangement with them by which the party would support the Government in all critical situations.

The rumours further stated that the Clann na Talmhan Party had given an assurance that, so far as the vital matter of neutrality was concerned, they would give general support to the Government, but on all other matters they had determined to maintain their attitude of complete independence.

Mr. Lynch, in his speech (reported in Page 2), asked members of Fine Gael not to allow themselves to be surprised if an election should be announced.

A MAJORITY

Responsible politicians feel that, although Mr. de Valera is concerned at the fact that he is without an over-all majority in the Dail, there is no question of an imminent appeal to the electors. They would regard such a disturbance of the country at the present moment as little short of disastrous. Moreover, they do not see any grounds for it from the point of view of the Government itself, since it has no reason to anticipate any set of circumstances in which the Government would be confronted with possible defeat.

Recent events have shown that on matters of real national importance the Dail and the people at large are behind the Administration.

NATIONAL SECURITY DEPENDS ON WHEAT

—MR. DE VALERA

"I DO not expect that we will have conditions such as existed in Bengal and China, or in our own country a century ago, but we can have a very serious situation unless we get the food we require," said Mr. de Valera in his call for more food and fuel production at Killarney yesterday.

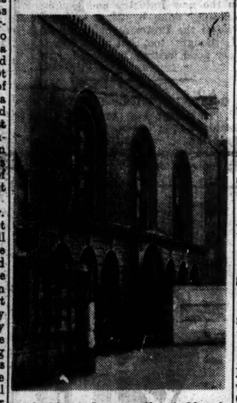
The policy of trying to make this country as self-supporting as possible, he described as an insurance which would enable them to live in reasonable comfort when a crisis like the present one arose and when supplies from abroad were not available owing to the scarcity of shipping. It was fortunate that a good deal of experimental work had been done before the war and that there had been a good deal of campaigning to get more wheat grown and to make use of their resources in the bogs. From the point of view of national security, their first need was a sufficiency of wheat.

"I want to tell you," added Mr. de Valera, "that if you do not think of your neighbour you will suffer for it, because in times like these the nation must stand together. If hardship occurs in one place it will have its reactions in another." They should not be short of bacon and butter, he said. They could increase their milk supply by giving better feeding to their cattle in the winter time. By growing more wheat, barley, oats, potatoes and root crops they would have more food for their animals, as well as having a reserve supply for human beings.

Condemning producers of bad turf, Mr. de Valera said that he hoped no bad turf would be bought, and that the labour of those who produced it would be in vain. He wanted to see all labour put to a good use, both for the individual worker and the country as a whole.

The Bishop of Kerry (the Most Rev. Dr. O'Brien) prophesied that the present year would be a testing time for the country. They must now rely exclusively on their own resources, he said, as the warring nations were not likely to pay any attention to them. He thanked Mr. de Valera for the appeal he had made to the belligerents to spare Rome.

After the meeting Mr. de Valera met members of the engineering staff of the County Council to discuss turf production plans, and also received a deputation from the town about Killarney's tourist trade plans. He received Capt. R. Paget, of Castlegregory, and discussed with him the question of inland fisheries.



York Street Congregational Church, Dublin, opened in 1808. The closing Service was held yesterday. (Report in page 4.)

FAR EAST "INCIDENT"

CHINESE troops from Sinkiang are reported to have violated the borders of the Mongolian People's Republic on Russia's south-eastern border and to have fired from planes on Kazakh refugees sheltering in Mongolian villages.

An official Soviet News Agency dispatch from Ulan-Bator, the Mongolian republican capital, giving this news, was prominently displayed in all newspapers in Moscow yesterday.

The dispatch added that the Mongolian Government leaders were convinced that if similar violations occurred the Soviet Government would be asked, in compliance with the Treaty of mutual assistance concluded in 1936, to "render the Republic all necessary assistance and support to safeguard the security of its territory."

The Tass dispatch from Ulan-Bator stated: "According to reports from well-informed circles, at the end of 1943 local authorities in Sinkiang province, China, started to deport a large number of Kazakhs from the Altai district to the southern areas of Sinkiang.

"Many Kazakh families refused to go there, and, seeking refuge from persecution by Sinkiang military units, fled to territory of the Mongolian People's Republic, where they were received by the Mongolian authorities as refugees.

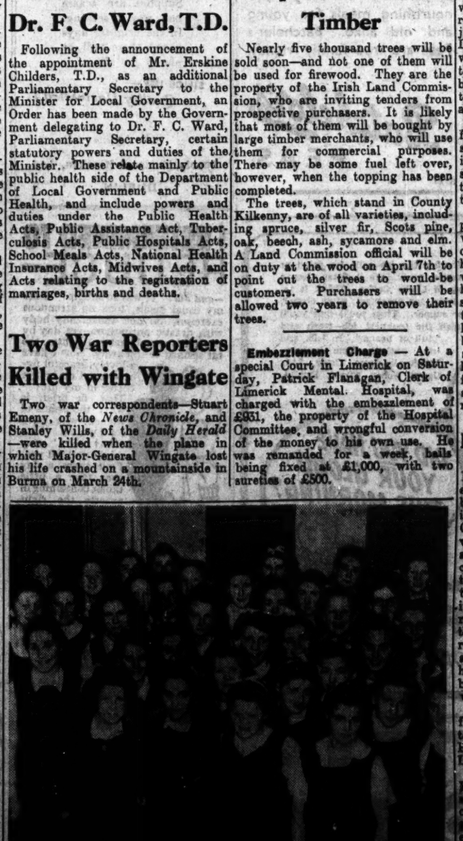
"Chinese troops stationed in the north-eastern part of Sinkiang Province, following in pursuit of the Kazakhs, invaded territory of the Mongolian People's Republic and fired from planes on these refugees and on inhabited localities of the Mongolian People's Republic.

Sinkiang, China's most northerly province, parallels the Soviet Union border from the lofty Pamiers in the south to the Altai mountains on the Mongolian frontier. Outer Mongolia, bordered by Siberia, became the Mongolian People's Republic after the revolution of 1924.—(Reuter.)

Belfast 'Bus Men Again at Work

The bus drivers and conductors of the Northern Ireland Transport Board, who staged a lightning strike on Friday afternoon, resumed work on Saturday night, pending negotiations on their claim for free travel when in uniform. Representatives of the Ulster Transport an Allied Operatives Union will meet the Board on Wednesday and report back to the men on Friday.

No change has taken place in the strike of engineers in Belfast, although some 450 men in the aircraft industry returned to work on Saturday. Over 20 trade union representatives at a meeting called by the Belfast Trades Council on Saturday, appointed a deputation to interview the Minister of Labour to-day to urge the need for a conference between all those concerned in the dispute.



Students waiting for their part in the Technical School students' display at Rathmines Town Hall on Saturday.

War Distress Fund Over £7,200

Last night the *Irish Times* Fund for the relief of war distress totalled £7,229 16s. 3d.

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New Duties for Dr. F. C. Ward, T.D.

Following the announcement of the appointment of Mr. Erskine Childers, T.D., as an additional Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Local Government, an Order has been made by the Government delegating to Dr. F. C. Ward, Parliamentary Secretary, certain statutory powers and duties of the Minister. These relate mainly to the public health side of the Department of Local Government and Public Health, and include powers and duties under the Public Health Acts, Public Assistance Act, Tuberculosis Acts, Public Hospitals Acts, School Meals Acts, National Health Insurance Acts, Midwives Acts, and Acts relating to the registration of marriages, births and deaths.

Two War Reporters Killed with Wingate

Two war correspondents—Stuart Emeny, of the *News Chronicle*, and Stanley Wills, of the *Daily Herald* —were killed when the plane in which Major-General Wingate lost his life crashed on a mountainside in Burma on March 24th.

Disposal of State Timber

Nearly five thousand trees will be sold soon—and not one of them will be used for firewood. They are the property of the Irish Land Commission, who are inviting tenders from prospective purchasers. It is likely that most of them will be bought by large timber merchants, who will use them for commercial purposes. There may be some fuel left over, however, when the topping has been completed.

The trees, which stand in County Kilkenny, are of all varieties, including spruce, silver fir, Scots pine, oak, beech, ash, sycamore and elm. A Land Commission official will be on duty at the wood on April 7th to point out the trees to would-be customers. Purchasers will be allowed two years to remove their trees.

Embezzlement Charge — At a special Court in Limerick on Saturday, Patrick Flanagan, Clerk of Limerick Mental Hospital, was charged with the embezzlement of £951, the property of the Hospital Committee, and wrongful conversion of the money to his own use. He was remanded for a week, bails being fixed at £1,000, with two sureties of £500.

100 Places Captured As Ring Closes On Odessa

GENERAL MALINOVSKY'S forces, in pursuit of the Germans falling back along the Black Sea coast, have crossed one of three water-barriers guarding the approaches to Odessa.

This and the capture of over 100 localities on the broad front closing in on the city from north-west, north and north-east, were officially reported last night from Moscow.

On the coast the Russians are now only just a little over 20 miles away after crossing the estuary of the Tiligul and occupying the little town of Alexandrovsk, just beyond its western bank. Between this point and Odessa itself lie two narrow lakes, each about 20 miles long.

Street fighting is now reported to be raging in Tarnopol and Kovel.

The Soviet communiqué last night said:—

During April 2nd forces of the First Ukrainian Front, continuing their offensive, captured two district centres of the Stanislavov region (Kosov and Kuty), and one in the Cernauti region (Herta).

South of Kamenets-Podolsk Russian forces occupied Novoselitsa (Cernauti region) and several other localities.

In the Kishinev direction, our troops, overcoming counter-attacks, took a district centre of the Moldavian Soviet Republic (Rezina) and 20 other localities.

In the Tiraspol direction, Soviet forces captured Shiryaev, in the Odessa region, and in the Odessa direction took over 50 localities.

On other sectors there was fighting of local importance.

Kosov and Kuty are 40 and 35 miles respectively due west of Cernauti, on the Polish-Bukovina border.

FAST ADVANCE

Beating off German counter-attacks, General Malinovsky's tanks, Cossacks and motor-cycle tommy-gunners are racing through pelting rain and deep slush to eat up the twenty-odd miles that separate them from Odessa (states Reuter's). At the same time, two other columns under Marshal Koniev are moving down at great speed from the north and north-east.

Groups of Germans and quantities of equipment are falling into Russian hands as the threat of encirclement to an estimated 100,000 of General Von Kleist's southern armies hourly deepens.

Von Kleist is fighting a strong delaying action to hold open the escape corridor for the Odessa garrison and his armies still east of the Dniester.

At one cross-roads north-east of the port Soviet advance guards defeated a German column and left many dead behind.

German plans for the defence of Odessa's approaches seem to have been thrown into confusion by the concentric nature of Soviet tactics, which prevent the concentration of German reserves at any one point.

As Soviet guns rumble nearer, Odessa's streets are almost empty of its once bustling population.

Great columns of smoke can be seen rising thousands of feet into the sky, indicating that the Germans are destroying objectives in the city.

At the other end of the southern front, Marshal Zhukov's First Ukrainian Army is striking towards the great Polish communications centre of Lvov, which has now become the key for the general advance into the Carpathians.

Pushing across the dense network of communications south-east, Russian forces are now within 50 miles of the city—as close as during their earlier drive north-west of Tarnopol.

There is no further news yet of the Soviet advance through the Jablomita Pass into Hungary, but a despatch describes how Soviet tanks are moving up by the Blue Carpathians.

AIR SUPPLIES

South of Kamenets-Podolsk the Germans are fighting a fierce battle. Zhukov's racing tanks in this sector are being supplied by groups of planes, which fly out daily at dawn and drop steel barrels and fuel by parachute near their forest lagers to enable them to keep up the tempo of their advance.

Major Kuprin, writing in *Pravda* yesterday, stated: "The enemy must not be permitted to halt and entrench himself—that is the one idea governing the tactics of every commander in General Malinovsky's armies."

A German High Command report last night stated that the Russians had broken into Tarnopol and Kovel.

"The garrison of Tarnopol," it stated, "has been engaged in heavy battles against vastly superior Russian forces inside the town. The German troops tenaciously defended the town's centre against Russian troops advancing from many directions."

"At Kovel the defenders sealed an enemy infiltration into a group of buildings."

Later a German commentator said: "In the sector of the towns of Tarnopol, Kovel, Brody and Stanislavov the situation is not very clear. The fighting line is greatly indented."

Yesterday's German communiqué stated that Russian attacks between the lower Ukrainian Bug and the Dniester were repelled. A Russian attempt to clear the road to Jassy was frustrated, it added, and German attacks gained ground south-west of Proskurov and in the Stanislavov area.

The Rumanian communiqué said that Soviet forces which had reached the Jijia (a tributary of the Pruth) at several points tried to cross the river by launching powerful attacks. "The enemy succeeded in achieving small penetrations, but these were sealed off by counter-attacks," it added. The Jijia is the last river crossing before Jassy.—(Reuter.)

"MOBILISATION" IN HUNGARY

A DECLARATION from the new Hungarian Government announcing the mobilisation of all forces, the strengthening of the home front, and "war against all tendencies to weaken the country's strength of resistance" was quoted yesterday by the German News Agency.—(Reuter.)

RUSSIANS ADVANCE IN RUMANIA

THE following statement on Russia's policy towards Rumania was issued yesterday by M. Molotov, Soviet Commissar for Foreign Affairs:—

"The Red Army has inflicted severe defeats on the enemy forces. The advancing formations of the Red Army, pursuing the German and Rumanian troops, have crossed the River Pruth in a number of places, and have entered Rumanian territory.

"The Soviet advance to the Pruth is the first step in the restoration of the frontier established by the Treaty of 1940 which Rumania broke by her treacherous attack in 1941 in the wake of Hitlerite Germany.

"The Supreme Command of the Red Army has issued an order to the advancing Soviet formations to pursue the enemy until his rout and capitulation.

"At the same time the Soviet Government declares that the entry into Rumania is dictated solely by military necessity and is in no way aimed at the integrity of Rumanian territory or the existing social order. The entry into Rumania has been rendered necessary by the enemy's continued resistance.

"The Red Army is carrying out the clearing of Soviet territory of all enemy troops, and the time is not far distant when all the Soviet frontier with Rumania will be completely restored."

Molotov's statement was welcomed in official quarters in London. The hope was expressed that this declaration of Soviet respect for Rumania's territorial integrity would have a good effect in the country, even at this late stage, after other warnings and assurances from Britain had produced no result.

Mystery of Man's Death in Dublin

John St. Leger, 54 years old assistant in a Dublin grocery store, whose decomposed body was taken from the Dodder Basin on Wednesday, is believed to have died from head injuries inflicted before he entered the water. A deep cut behind the ear could have been caused by a blow, or by his head striking some projection as he fell. In any event, he died from a fractured skull, and not from drowning.

These facts were established over the week-end, when the State Pathologist, Dr. John McGrath, and high officers from the Detective Branch were called in to assist in finding an answer to the question: Was St. Leger murdered and robbed and his body thrown into the river?

It was also disclosed, last night, that the police are anxious to trace any person who may have been in St. Leger's company before he disappeared on the night of March 1st, some hours after he had left his lodgings to go for a walk.

MONEY MISSING

The murder theory is supported by the fact that when St. Leger left his employment in the early afternoon of March 1st, for his weekly half-day, he carried, roughly, £20 in his pocket—his salary for the month of February—and that when his body was recovered the money was gone. When his body was recovered at Britain's quay—the junction of the Dodder and the Liffey, where it was seen by a port worker—it was so badly decomposed that a brother and a friend had to be guided in their identification by the clothes, a new set of false teeth, and a mark on the back.

The police are investigating carefully the theory that St. Leger was struck behind the ear with a blunt instrument, which caused instantaneous death, and that he was then robbed, and his body dumped in the river.

As against the murder theory, it is possible that St. Leger became faint while he was walking along the side of the river and fell in; and that his head may have struck a projection, which fractured his skull. He was, his friends say, a quiet, almost reserved man, and was inclined to be temperamental and to worry. He had been on sick leave shortly before his disappearance. He suffered from blood pressure, and had been known previously to have fainted; but on March 1st he appeared to be in perfect health and not to be worried about anything.

POST-MORTEM

Dr. John McGrath, the State Pathologist, made a *post-mortem* examination of the body at Londonbridge road morgue yesterday morning, and was assisted by Dr. A. Cooney. The results were afterwards communicated to the Garda authorities, and, it is understood, confirmed their feelings that a thorough investigation of the murder theory was necessary. Intensive inquiries were made up to late last night, and detectives made a thorough search of St. Leger's hotel room. They will to-day circulate a photograph of St. Leger in the hope that anybody who might have been in his company on March 1st will come forward.

The remains will be removed from the morgue this afternoon, and taken by train from Kingsbridge to Hathrilly, Co Carlow, where St. Leger came from.

St. Leger had worked for Messrs. H. Williams and Co., Lower Baggot street, for thirty years. At the time of his death he was in charge of the grocery department. He was erroneously described as a manager of the shop on Saturday. The manager is Mr J. J. Quinn.

One of the men who helped to identify the body was Mr. J. Chrystal, a fellow-worker, who had occupied the same room in the hotel as St. Leger, and who was a close friend of many years standing.

ALLIES MASSING FOR ANZIO OFFENSIVE

FOLLOWING an inflow of "masses of troops and war material," immediate Allied attacks in the Anzio bridgehead were forecast in Berlin last night.

The German News Agency stated: "During the past few days, and particularly last night, General Clark has sent such considerable reinforcements in troops and material to the bridgehead that an immediate resumption of large-scale attacks must be expected."

A German correspondent said later that the Allied reinforcement of the beachhead "with masses of troops and war materials" continued throughout yesterday without interruption.

A British correspondent cabled from Italy last night, however, that the eleventh week oo the Fifth Army's beachhead was opening with indications that the German forces surrounding it are taking on a more aggressive rôle. Forays all round the Allied perimeter are reported, although it is not yet clear whether the German attacks are reconnaissance moves prior to a thrust comparable with the heavier blows which, up to a month ago, had bought some ground at a high cost in casualties, or, alternatively, merely harassing moves.

HEIGHTS TAKEN

Marshal Badoglio's Italian units, battling forward amid the snow-capped Western Appenines, have seized two important heights for the Allied armies. They have taken 3,500 feet high Monte Castelnuvo, whose capture follows that of the adjacent Monte Marrone.

These gains in the mountains 14 miles north-east of Cassino mark the first Allied advance of any importance for weeks, and the first success to be credited for some months to the Italian forces who have been holding this mountainous sector shoulder to shoulder with Polish and French forces.

Patrol activity on both sides has enlivened the whole of this sector recently.

The Cassino sector has been quiet but for German patrol activity north-west of the town. Allied guns are sending regular barrages into the ruined town.

The main underground tunnel used by the Germans in Cassino is half a mile long, and connects the German-held amphitheatre with Allied-held Castle Hill, said Gordon Fraser, Blue Network Correspondent, speaking from Naples yesterday.

In the Anzio bridgehead, Marshal Kesselring has tried another thrust against the Allied left flank, this time with sufficient force to cause a slight withdrawal in one of their positions just south-west of Carroceto—the sector where the Germans launched their first major offensive after the beach-head had been established.

Belfast Debt Reduced—Belfast's total indebtedness on March 31st, 1943, was £9,934,971, as compared with £10,835,065 the previous year. During the period loans totalling £1,073,519 were repaid or redeemed. These facts were given in the report of the Local Government Auditor which has just been issued.

100,000 JAPANESE BLOCKADED

THE United States War Department, in a survey of the Pacific fighting, said last night that approximately 100,000 Japanese soldiers in the besieged islands of the South and South-West Pacific are facing a hopeless future, with the alternatives of death by guns or by starvation and disease.

In the Marshalls, the Northern Solomons, and in the Bismarck area they were in the grip of a relentless sea and air blockade, and no substantial aid had reached them in recent weeks. Nine out of every ten supply vessels attempting to bring in supplies were being destroyed, and half the barges trying to run the blockade by night are sunk.

American infantrymen are inflicting casualties in a ratio as high as 30 to 1, added the War Department.

Three new blows in the two-way offensive by the forces of Admiral Chester W. Nimitz and General MacArthur in their bid to smash Japan's "secret bases" of the Central Pacific were announced last night.

1. Truk, the sea and air base in the Carolines, was bombed for the fifth time in little over 48 hours by aircraft from different areas of the Pacific.

2. Far to the west of Truk, Catalinas and Liberators attacked Wolfai Island, between the great sea harbours of Truk and Palau—the latter now under attack by Admiral Nimitz's carrier task force.

3. Destroyers of the South Pacific Command shelled Nunakitsu and Neru islands, in the Greenwich group, half-way between New Ireland and Truk.

In the South-west Pacific, Mac-Arthur's Liberators, which heavily raided Hollandia, in Dutch New Guinea, and the Wewak supply area, 110 miles to the south, was the strongest concentration of heavy bombers ever to raid a New Guinea target.

The attack on Palau, 1,300 miles west of Truk, is described as "one of the greatest bombardments ever staged by the United States Navy," states an Associated Press despatch received in New York.—(Reuter.)

Indian Highway Cut

Japanese columns in India, now within twelve miles of Imphal, the important British base and key to Manipur road railhead, are meeting stiff opposition from the 14th Army.

Yesterday's official report from New Delhi Headquarters says that small Japanese formations, thrusting across the plain, have cut a sixty miles highway running northward from Imphal to Kohima, the second of the Allies' main bases.

A German News Agency message from Rangoon last night asserted that Imphal is "completely isolated" as a result of the cutting of the Kohima highway, and that Japanese units now are marching south as part of the preparation for a general assault.

Imphal itself is by no means in imminent danger, cables Reuter's special correspondent in New Delhi. The swoop on the road, typical of Japanese strategy, was not unexpected, and has been well provided for, he says. The highway from Imphal to the Manipur road railhead is 136 miles long, and it would take many thousands of troops to guard it from infiltration.

U.S. Destroyer Sinks U.S. Craft

Three American landing craft were accidentally shelled by a destroyer, the United States Navy reported yesterday. Thirteen men were killed and 46 wounded.

The disclosure was made in a Pacific Fleet announcement on the report of an investigating board convened to inquire into a mishap on February 22nd at Eniewetok Atoll. The destroyer was providing fire support during landing operations on Parry Island, in Eniewetok Atoll.—(A.P.)

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FARMERS SHOCKED BY TAOISEACH'S SPEECH

MR. DE VALERA'S recent speech at Galway on food and fuel has shocked the farmers, however plausible and practical it may have appeared to the urban population, writes Mr. T. J. McElligott, of Easton House, Leixlip, Co. Dublin, in a letter to the "Irish Times." As a farmer, he offers an explanation of this and a few helpful suggestions in the following letter:—

We are all seriously concerned in the urgent problem of securing, in full, the food and fuel supply of the nation. We are anxious to see that the great objective is not endangered by ill-conceived, ill-advised and ill-executed methods. We know for a certainty that one view will be kept before the public by Press and radio and that is the Government view. We know also that our views, if not suppressed, will be distorted and misrepresented, and that we are being blamed beforehand for a shortage and held responsible for any economic disaster that may arise. Let us have fairplay and a fair hearing.

PROPER FEEDING

"The butter shortage," Mr. de Valera says, "could be made good, and the quickest way to do that was by feeding the cows properly in winter. It was calculated that the milk supply could be increased by nearly 50 per cent. by an improvement in this direction." A simple and easy solution, so thinks the non-farmer. In reality, it means a social revolution, long overdue, in our agricultural economy. It must come, but it will take years to effect it. Our economy has been based on a maximum production of "grass butter," beginning in April, rising to its peak in June, and practically coming to an end in October. We always lost our export trade—our regular customers—in winter, and had to look for them again the next season. In the meantime, our customers went elsewhere to get a regular supply.

The Danes stepped in, and with remarkable co-operation and efficiency kept up an even export trade throughout the year—as much in winter as in summer.

"Feeding the cows properly in winter", means feeding them, on the average, a half cwt. roots and half stone of balanced meal daily; it means winter dairying and three million acres of tillage as the base of our national economy.

Years ago I sent a memorandum urging it to the Minister for Agriculture. As an individual farmer I tried it, and had winter milk production for Listowel Creamery. The cost of feeding and the price I received convinced me it couldn't be done by individuals. Then, as the creamery worked only two or three days weekly, I had to hold milk often from Friday evening to Monday morning—a dead loss; it couldn't be kept fresh or "new" for three days on a farm.

REQUIREMENT

To have winter dairying, "to feed the cows properly in winter," we must have 500,000 cows calving down in August, September and October, and the other 800,000 calving down in late spring for summer production. Besides growing the animal feeding stuffs, corn and roots, we must grow the only substitute for cotton meal — beans. Are we organised and educated to do this in the coming winter? Are the cows already mated to calve down in the autumn? Have we an economic price fixed to keep the dairy farmer in production all the year round? Is there a planned policy for winter dairying drawn up by the Department of Agriculture? If so, let us see it.

The bacon shortage can be easily remedied, Mr. de Valera says, by growing "enough barley, oats and potatoes we would be able to have all the bacon we required instead of half our needs as at present." Granted.

It was on a rotten foundation we built up our bacon industry. There was disaster involved in a policy which kept the "Plough in the Argentine and the Pig in Ireland."

The emergency, the stoppage of maize imports naturally brought about the collapse in production. This year's tillage drive, even though successful, cannot put the industry on its feet. The new technique, which is being worked out in Mitchelstown and the other creameries, offers the only solution.

TURF PROBLEM

In asking to treble the turf output, Mr. de Valera said that "the way to get over the difficulty was for those who had the tradition of turf cutting to do the work. It was the type of work for which women and children were particularly suitable, and those who had been used to it in the past should cut two or three times as much as they did last year." The actual work of cutting turf, as in Kerry, by the wing "Slaun" and a man in the bog hole forking it up on the bank, or by "breast cutting" and wheeling it out in barrows is very definitely a strong man's job, and not a job for women and children. The latter can easily foot turf—put it standing to dry. I hope that is what Mr. de Valera meant.

LABOUR SHORTAGE

"There is one way in which you can get over the labour shortage," Mr. de Valera says, "and that is to work harder, and, if necessary, for longer hours." Well, the average dairy farmer works from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. and often later. Few urban people realise how long and how hard.

The labour shortage is the really urgent problem. First the cause. From 1926 to 1936 about 100,000 people left the rural community for the cities and towns. Since 1936 we may assume the pace of rural decline continued at the same rate, the emigration figure since the war is—how much? The number gone into the Army is also a huge figure. Therefore, there is left in the country nothing but an abnormal proportion of youth and old age, as well as the inefficient, a relatively small number of skilled agricultural workers, the lowest on record, to secure the highest tillage area we ever had since our population was 6½ millions.

The remedy I suggest is—That in the crisis the Taoiseach asks the emigrants to come back on a guarantee that they will get work and a living wage in their own country.

Our target is fixed—over three million acres if possible. Let the Department fix the quotas for each county, and also fix it under the different crops. Each agricultural committee should become, with added members from each parish, a production committee. Let the Government representative attend their meetings not to have the farmers "talked at" and "lectured" and blamed beforehand, but to help them in every way to cut the bull's eye out of the target. The time for action is now—to-morrow is may be too late.

Mr. de Valera May Spring An Election

—MR. F. LYNCH, T.D.

"IF rumours of a coming general election are true, then Mr. de Valera is prepared to gamble the fortunes of this unfortunate country in order to indulge in a piece of political opportunism," said Mr. Fionan Lynch, T.D., at a Fine Gael meeting at Cahirciveen yesterday. "If he (Mr. de Valera) throws this country into the upset and excitement of a general election now—after only a year since the last election and in these critical times—it will be a dastardly act and without any justification, except that he wants to cash in on the unanimity of the people in the face of the threat from outside."

"Last year," said Mr. Lynch, "it was only after very grave consideration that he agreed to hold the general election which the Constitution provided for when the life of the Tenth Dail had come to a close; he felt that in the war circumstances, if it were not for the misconstruction that might have been placed upon our action in prolonging our own lives in the Tenth Dail, that it would have been advisable to avoid a general election. Our experience in the past has been that Mr. de Valera chafes at ever being left without a clear majority in the Dail. In spite of the war situation he may again give us a surprise election in the course of a few months, in the hope that he may get a clear majority through the strain in the international atmosphere."

Mr. Lynch appealed to the members of Fine Gael not to allow themselves to be surprised if an election should be announced.

RED CROSS SUPPLIES FROM AMERICA

The 986 cases of medical supplies in the latest consignment to reach the Irish Red Cross Society from the American Red Cross made the largest of the seven consignments received since the outbreak of war. The more important items received to date include:—45,500,000 Diphtheria serum units; 2,500,000 sulphanilamide tablets; 500,000 vitamin tablets; four-and-a-half tons of insulin; 15 operating tables; 10,000 gallons of cotton seed oil; 1,000 gallons cod liver and halibut oils; a wide assortment of surgical instruments, and 4,000 gift boxes.

The seven consignments, totalling 3,084 cases, weighing 160 tons and valued at $169,452,28, which have reached this country, have been distributed to the society's 27 Eire depôts. They are only to be used in the event of an emergency.

Supplies arriving at Dublin have been given free accommodation by the Dublin Port and Docks Board pending their distribution; prompt clearance has been afforded by the Revenue Commissioners, while storage throughout the country has been given free by local authorities.

Two consignments of gift boxes (2,000 in each) were sent to junior members of the society for distribution to hospital patients and poor children.

NATIONAL PLANNING EXHIBITION

THE tremendous amount of preparatory work necessary for the launching of the twelve days' National Planning Exhibition in the Mansion House, Dublin, on April 25th, is nearing peak point.

Architects, architectural students, engineers, and others from all over the country are putting the finishing touches to detailed models of schools, farms, play centres, holiday camps, etc. Statisticians are making last-minute additions to elaborate graphs and charts. Cartographers are busy on a wide range of maps. Photographs are being mounted and captioned. Some of the best American and British documentary films (16 m.m. sound) on planning have been secured for showing each evening through the efforts of the Irish Film Society. Every aspect of planning has been touched on, and, as the date of the exhibition approaches, the completed picture is beginning to take shape, with section after section neatly dove-tailing into position.

THE FUTURE

The most ambitious project yet undertaken by the National Planning Conference, the exhibition is being made possible by the voluntary work of members of many organisations in the country. By means of these models, films, graphs and charts it is hoped to impress on the public that the planning of the future really means the betterment of the individual, that their interest, their energy and even their criticism will be of help.

Mr. Harvey Allberry, F.R.I.A.I., and Mr. C. J. Buckley, M.Inst.C.E.I., of the Conference Publicity Committee, told Press representatives on Saturday: "We are not supermen thinking that by ourselves we can re-plan Ireland. We have not a monopoly of ideas about the planning of the country. It is the people, who are going to benefit, who can produce the ideas, and we will be, so to speak, the clearing-house for those."

The Government has taken keen interest in the activities of the Conference and, at one of its meetings last year, Mr. de Valera promised to give sympathetic consideration to all suggestions made by the Conference. Co-operation is not confined to the 26 counties alone. Members of the Ulster Planning Group—who have already organised two exhibitions in Belfast—are also preparing plans and drawings for the Mansion House event.

Promises from city firms to sponsor "Planning" advertisements and from cinema managers to have propaganda slides shown during performances have been secured by Mrs. Noel Moffett, an enthusiastic member of the Publicity Committee. Prominent city firms approached by Mrs. Moffett have agreed to design their windows with "Planning" as a basis during the exhibition. Attractive posters have been prepared and window showcards and handbills printed for distribution.

Subjects to be dealt with each evening by experts, who have prepared manuscripts, are: Agriculture, industry, inland and overseas transport, medical and public health services, food and nutrition, educational facilities, towns, villages, rural life and recreation.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—8 and 11, H.C. in the Lady Chapel. The Succentor. 10, Matins. 4, Evensong (Men's Voices).

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ST. ANN'S, Dawson street.—11.30, H.C. 1.5-1.30, Lunch-hour Service. 8.15, Evensong.

ST. PHILIP AND ST. JAMES'S, Booterstown.—8 p.m. Rev. G. S. Nowlan.

ST. CANICE'S CATHEDRAL, Kilkenny.—11.30, H.C and Address. The Dean.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8.30 and 11.30, H.C. 9.45, M.P. 8.15, E.P. Rev. R. R. Hartford.

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HOLY TRINITY, Rathmines.—7.30, H.C. 10.15, Morning Service. 7.45, Rev. E. M. Bateman.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street (the Church's Ministry of Healing).—10.30, H.C. 3, Devotional Service. The Bishop of Ossory.

ST. LUKE'S.—8, E.P. Canon J. T. Griffin.

ST. BRIGID'S, Stillorgan.—8.15, E.P. Rev. T. N. Salmon.

CHRIST CHURCH, Taney.—8, H.C. 10, M.P.

ST. NAHI, Churchtown.—8.15, E.P. Rev. J. C. Duggan.

ST. THOMAS'S, Mt. Merrion.—8, H.C. 8.15, E.P. The Rector.

ST. MARY'S, Donnybrook.—8, H.C. 10.15, Matins. 8.15, Canon Powell.

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Minister's View Of Machine Age

There were many first-class things going on in this country under conditions which were not particularly favourable, and he did not think that they had any reason to believe that the machine age, so far as it affected Ireland, was doing anything more than taking, in a measure, the strength of brutalising manual labour off a good many people.

This remark was made by the American Minister (Mr. David Gray) when presiding at a debate on the motion "That the Machine Age is Stifling Art" by the Technical Students' Literary and Debating Society, Parnell square, Dublin, on Saturday night. The motion was defeated by 37 votes to 12.

They had, he said, to find a way to get beautiful things and, at the same time, to keep the adaptability to function, which was the essence of good machine work. He thought that they would get nearer some working solution if they kept that in mind.

There was very little to be discouraged by here, said Mr. Gray. He had seen in the Dublin theatres, and particularly in the Abbey, an fine an ideal of acting as one would find any place. The art of acting had reached a very high point in this city. There was good plastic art, and good painting, and the finest thing he had seen was the bas relief on the new Industry and Commerce building, done by Mrs. O'Reardon, wife of the Professor of Archaeology. He thought, too, that there was some very good writing in Ireland.

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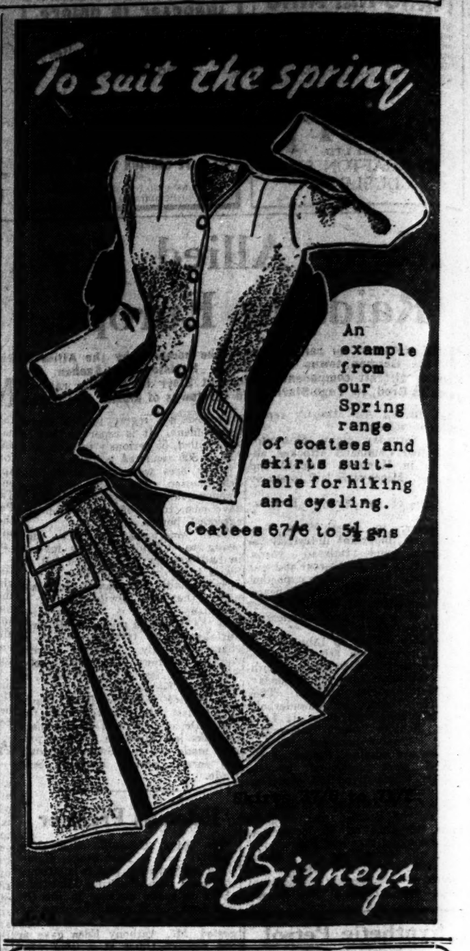

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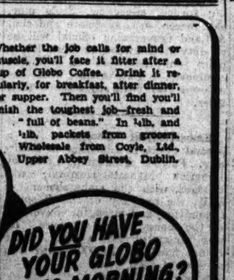

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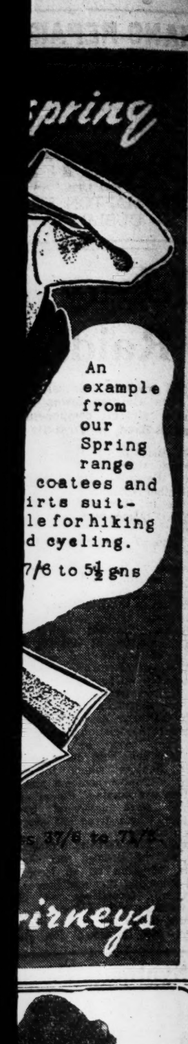

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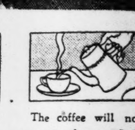

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ROYAL Film: 3.15, 6.20, 9.15. Show 4.50, 7.55. The Screen's Request Revival: GEORGE RAFT, WALLACE BEERY, in "THE BOWERY." Last Gala Farewell Edition of ROYAL SALUTE. THEATRE CLOSED WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY. EASTER SUNDAY: The Greatest Show on Earth in "VARIETY FAIR." With a Host of Stage Surprises.

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ADELPHI Times of Showing: 2.55, 5.2, 7.9, 9.16. 'ADAM HAD FOUR SONS,' Yeaturing Ingrid Bergman, Warner Baxter. Cinema Closed Wed., Thur. and Good Friday. Re-opening Easter Saturday with MICKEY ROONEY, JUDY GARLAND in "GIRL CRAZY."

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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The Minister for Agriculture has appointed the number 46 as the CODE MARK to be applied to Eggs tested at Wholesalers' premises or examined at Retailers' premises during the period from 3rd April to 8th April, 1944 (both dates inclusive).
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EMERGENCY POWERS (NO. 165) ORDER, 1942.
CLOSING OF MILL.
The Minister for Industry and Commerce gives notice to all whom it may concern that he has made an Order, under Article 9 of the above-named Order, directing that milling shall not be carried on at the following mill:—
Mr. James Gahan's mill, situated at Ballydemond, Monamolin, Gorey, Co. Wexford.
The mill in question has now been closed.
Department of Industry and Commerce, Dublin.
24th March, 1944. W.H.Co.
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CONTRACT FOR SUPPLIES OF BREAD, MEAT, MILK, POTATOES AND BUTTER TO PRISONS, ETC.
Tenders are invited for the following supplies to Prisons and the Borstal Institution, Cork:—
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Particulars and Forms of Tender can be obtained at each Prison and at Cork Borstal Institution.
Sealed Tenders, addressed "Secretary, Department of Justice," and endorsed in block capitals "Tenders Prisons," must reach the Department not later than 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, the 13th April, 1944.
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CHURCH NOTICES.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.
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HOLY COMMUNION DAILY, 8 and 11.
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LUNCH-HOUR SERVICES, 1-5 to 1-30 p.m.
ADDRESSES BY CANON C. H. HEMMING.
Monday—"Is Religion Necessary?"
Tuesday—"The Unknown God."
Wednesday—"When I Saw Him—"
Thursday—"Here am I; Send Me."

ABBEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PARNELL SQUARE.
Rossini's Oratorio, "STABAT MATER" (English words) will be given by the Choir ON THIS (MONDAY) EVENING, 3rd APRIL, at 7.30 p.m.
Soloists: Renee Flynn, Mary Johnson Ewart Grace, W. F. Watt, Mervyn Bell.
At the Organ: William S. Greig, Mus.B., A.R.C.O.

NATURAL RESOURCES OF IRELAND

Just one hundred years ago the Royal Dublin Society published Sir Robert Kane's "Industrial Resources of Ireland," a work in which the distinguished author, who was the Society's Professor of Natural Philosophy, gathered together an immense amount of information on this vital subject, much of it as a result of his own personal investigations. To mark the centenary the Society has arranged for the holding of a Conference Symposium on "The Natural Resources of Ireland," in which discourses will be given by experts on the various subjects. The Symposium will be opened by a lecture in the Members' Hall, Halls bridge, on "Sir Robert Kane, his Life and Work," which will be given by Dr. T. Sharlock Wheeler, State Chemist, at 7.30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 12th. On April 13th and 14th—at morning sessions—papers will be read dealing with fuel, minerals, water-power, soil, fisheries and forestry, each to be followed by a discussion.

COURSE FOR TRAINED NURSES

The seventh annual post-graduate course for general trained nurses, sponsored by the Irish Nurses' Organisation and approved by the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, was held this year at St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin, by permission of Reverend Mother Rectress and the Medical Board. The nursing sisters and nurses from all parts of Eire and Northern Ireland who attended included nurses from local authorities hospitals and nurses in private practice.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL UNITED KINGDOM BENEFICENT ASSOCIATION will be held at the Offices of the Association, ALLIANCE HOUSE, 15 BEDFORD STREET, STRAND, LONDON, W.C. 2, at 2.45 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 25th April, 1944, to receive the Report and Accounts of the Committee for the year 1943, and to elect Members of the Committee and Auditors.
(Signed) B. L. AXLEY, Brig.-General, Secretary.
April 1st, 1944.

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MONDAY, APRIL 3, 1944.

Figures and Facts

The Minister for Finance has good reason to be pleased with his Revenue Returns for the year which ended on last Friday. Since Mr. Sean T. O'Kelly took over the Finance Department he has not had a particularly easy time; but it must be admitted that, in all the circumstances, he has done remarkably well, and, while the taxpayers hardly can be expected to be enthusiastic concerning the imposts which he has been forced to levy, most of them are prepared to concede that, bad as they are, they easily might have been very much worse. Of course, we are living in wholly abnormal times. Furthermore, our national position, from the financial point of view, is unique, inasmuch as Eire, although a neutral State, has its currency fastened firmly to sterling, which, being the currency of one of the major belligerents, cannot but be affected to an incalculable degree by the ineluctable facts of war. It seems only a short while ago since the people of this country were protesting vehemently against a Budget of slightly over £20,000,000. In those days, not so very long before the present war, the idea of a £30,000,000 Budget was almost unthinkable. Yet, last year's figures show a revenue of nearly £44,000,000—more than £4,000,000 in excess of the sum that was raised during the previous year. Expenditure also increased, but by the relatively small figure of £2,000,000. It will be seen, therefore, that the financial situation in Eire is exceptionally buoyant. Everything in Mr O'Kelly's garden—at first sight, at any rate—seems to be lovely; and, when in due course he arises to open his next Budget, he ought to be the envy of most of the other Finance Ministers of the world. Revenue from every source has increased. Last year the people of this little State actually paid nearly £11,500,000 in income tax alone, a fact which does not mean that the average taxpayer is better off than he was twelve months ago, but simply that business concerns of almost every kind have been making greatly enhanced profits. Further evidence of this fact is afforded by the remarkable yield of the Corporation Profits Tax. In the year which ended March 31st, 1940—a year only partly covered by the war—this tax produced the relatively small sum of £524,000; last year it yielded £3,781,000. Whatever may be the condition of individual citizens, neutral Eire, in spite of all the difficulties of its curious position, is not doing badly out of the war. Whether or not there is any element of permanence in the present condition of affairs is another story into which we need not enter.

Two main facts emerge from all the combinations and permutations of figures which are occupying the attention of the financial experts. One is that a very big balance is being built up in London to the credit of the Irish State, not, indeed, in consequence of any particular genius, or even good management, on the part of the Irish Government, but simply because the country happens to be exporting more than it is being allowed to import. When this war is over Eire ought to be in an unusually strong position, *vis-à-vis* not only Great Britain, but the rest of the world as well. She will need large quantities of all kinds of goods; and, what is more important, she will be able to pay for them on the nail. Is the Government giving sufficient thought to what will be done with this substantial credit? Is it taking any serious steps in respect of post-war planning? Does it propose, for example, to do anything whatever to improve those country towns and villages which Michael Collins once described as a "hideous medley" of wretched houses, mean shops and sordid public-houses; or will it be content in future, as it seems to be content at present, to allow them to develop in sprawling, haphazard fashion, merely accentuating their pristine squalor? The problem of what is to be done with Eire's external nest-egg is a matter that ought to be tackled seriously by the Government while, as it were, the going is reasonably good. The other fact which stands out obtrusively is that much of Eire's apparent prosperity is illusory. The last war played havoc with the interests of the *rentier* class, not only in this, but in almost every other country. During this war, although Eire is neutral, the final blows are being dealt at those sections of the middle classes that are living, or are trying to live, on fixed incomes. The people whom we have in mind have no interest in the dividends paid by this or that concern, or in the price of this or that security on the Stock Exchange. They are interested profoundly in the cost of living, which in Eire has increased to a wholly unjustifiable extent. As matters stand at present, real, as opposed to paper, earnings have fallen heavily in the Twenty-six Counties. Prices have soared, while there has been no corresponding increase in incomes. We realise, of course, that there is much to be said for the Government's resolve to prevent inflation in so far as it is able to prevent it. On the other hand, the purchasing power of the pound sterling is a matter not altogether within the control of the Irish Government. Besides, the mere fact that the country is facing a Budget of more than £40,000,000 indicates a measure of actual inflation, which is serious, if not, indeed, alarming. Is it too much to hope that Mr. O'Kelly will realise that there is a large proportion of Irish citizens who can derive no particular comfort from his sparkling revenue figures; and that, by a reduction in the standard rate of income tax, he will do something to lessen the burden that has been weighing so heavily on their weary shoulders?

Daylight Saving

Yesterday morning, at 2 a.m., Double Summer Time came into operation in Great Britain and Northern Ireland for the third successive year. The change, which puts the standard British time two hours in advance of Greenwich Mean Time for the summer period, caused so little stir when first introduced that one thought with mild amusement of early antagonism to the idea of daylight saving. William Willett, a well-known London builder, propounded the scheme in 1908, and championed it vigorously until his death seven years later. In the summer months there are many hours of sunlight before the ordinary city man's time of rising. Willett's plan was to capture one of these hours of light by the simple expedient of changing the clock: people would be made to get up at seven o'clock, because it would be called eight o'clock. Then, at the end of the day, that captured hour would be added on; for the light would fade, not at nine o'clock, but at ten o'clock. Naturally, such tampering with accepted chronometry was disapproved widely, and the pioneer appeared to be no nearer the general adoption of his plan when he died in 1915. A year later, under the pressure of war, it was enacted into law. Up to the year 1940 the change was made every summer, and an hour of precious sunlight was added to the evenings for the benefit of the sun-starved day worker. Summer Time was maintained through the winter of 1940-41, and in Ireland it has been maintained ever since. In 1942, however, Britain took the logical step farther: Double Summer Time, saving two hours instead of one, was introduced for the summer months, as it has been introduced every year since. We do not know why, at that time, Ireland declined to stay in step. It may have been mere obstinacy; it may have been that the objections adduced by the agricultural community carried weight. The farmer is not troubled in general, indeed, by Summer Time, or even Double Summer Time; he simply ignores it, as—in some districts—he has ignored even Greenwich Mean Time in favour of actual sun-time. Milk suppliers, however, argue that they cannot milk their cows an hour earlier, though the milk is expected in the towns at the usual time by the clock. Parents, too, have trouble with their children, who object to going to sleep at nine when there is an eight-o'clock brightness outside. These objections, however, seem to be outweighed, as they have been outweighed in Britain, by the urgent need for saving fuel. We expect that the Electricity Supply Board's new restrictions will be maintained during the summer, when the drought on the Shannon and the shortage of coal may be even more severe. A change to Double Summer Time would save an hour's artificial light all over the country every night. Such an economy would be of equal value to the E.S.B., to the consumers of electricity, and to the rural dwellers who depend for lighting upon drastically rationed paraffin oil. In this case the need for economy must over-rule stubbornness. We beg the Government to consider the matter without delay.

THE MARCHIONESS OF DUFFERIN AND AVA, who has been staying in Dublin, returned to Clandeboye, Co. Down, last week.

Lady Montgomery, who spent a few days with Dr. and Mrs. T. O. Graham, at Whiteoak, Donnybrook, has returned to Co. Donegal.

Lady Dunalley has returned to Kilboy, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary, from Dublin.

Major and Mrs. Grove have returned to Letterkenny, Co. Donegal, from Dublin.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place shortly, of Captain Patrick Millington Synge, only son of the late E. M. Synge, A.R.E., and the late Mrs. Synge, of Clare Cottage, West Byfleet, Surrey, and Margaret Georgiana (Peggy), Chenevix Trench, elder daughter of Colonel A. Chenevix Trench, C.I.E., and Mrs. Chenevix Trench, of Sandilands, West Byfleet.

The engagement is announced of Nicholas David Condon, National Bank, Kanturk, youngest son of Mrs. Condon and the late J. J. Condon, of Kilfinane, Co. Limerick, and Marie Colette (Mara), eldest daughter of T. N. and Mrs. O'Donohue, Bank of Ireland, Kanturk, Co. Cork.

The marriage will take place quietly on 17th April between Dr. James Laffey, Swinford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Laffey, Renbrack, Callow, Foxford, and Aine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Murphy, Kiltimagh, Co. Mayo.

Dr. R. F. Cantan has left 10 Brighton terrace, Sandycove, for two weeks.

Mrs. Henderson, Masseuse, has resumed work at 30 Upper Fitzwilliam Street.

Civil Service Cricket Club, Phoenix Park, Dublin—Dance, Metropole Ballroom, Easter Monday, April 10th, 1944. Dancing 9 to 3. Evening dress. Metropole Band, under direction of Phil Murtagh. Spot prizes. Tickets 7/6 each, at Metropole, or from F. Leopold, 5 Burgh quay ('phone 45360); F. Bodway, 12 D'Olier street ('phone 21366); and W. H. Osborne, 56 Cabra Park, Phibsboro. Tickets limited. Early booking advisable.

Switzers are showing a most attractive selection of Ladies' Gloves in Washable Doeskin, Suede and Leather. They are available in all the leading shades. (No Coupons.)

In Spring, and everywhere women are thinking of the Hat that will make that new suit, coat or ensemble they have their eye on.

See Kelletts Millinery Display at the Irish Industrial Show Rooms on St. Stephen's Green. Every Hat shown there was made on their premises. These Hats are fresh, young, and new as the first blossoms of Spring. Each a distinguished fashion. At prices to suit all purses. "Keltex" Hats are noted for the beauty of their style and workmanship, and the excellence of their quality.—Kelletts, George's street.

A beautiful collection of Model

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UNIVERSITY NOTES
T.C.D.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT

THE only real excitement in College during the past week was provided by the intensive A.R.P. course which those students who were still in residence last week had to undergo. The participants were initiated into the mysteries of the fire-engine, hydrants, standpipes and other A.R.P. equipment; sight-seeing tours were conducted on the College roofs, and there were some entertaining events during the "mountaineering" on the College buildings. The course introduced students to parts of College which are in the ordinary circumstances not accessible to them, and thus afforded an excellent opportunity for acquiring an enlarged knowledge of the College topography.

The Dublin University Players have at last selected a play for performance in the Father Mathew Feis. It is "Lady Precious Stream," by the Chinese playwright, S. J. Hsiung. A delightful Chinese pastiche, it affords an excellent example of how an experienced dramatic technician can create a play around a plot which seems, on reflection, to be about nothing. The performance is to take place early in May, and it is hoped that success will crown the venture. The principal rôle will be played by Miss Kay Miley, who has made for herself a name as an actress in plays performed by other Irish companies, and who —as Scholar in Modern Languages—took a leading part in the German play that the D.U. Modern Languages Society produced last Michaelmas Term, which is a proof of her versatility.

Other parts will be filled by such prominent College personalities as Miss Daphne Archer, the President of the D.U. Elizabethan Society, Miss Anne Miller, Mr. Derek Llewellyn-Jones, who has attained an unusual combination in College societies by being both a secretary of the "Players" and the "Bi," and Mr. J. R. Cross, whose memorable performance as Ferrovius in George Bernard Shaw's "Androcles and the Lion" in the last Peacock production of the Players should still be fresh in the mind of any enthusiast of College drama. Miss Elinor Mathews, the chairman of "Players," will be the producer. "Players" have quite a successful record in their Father Mathew Feis productions, as they won the "Independent Cup" twice and the "Abbey Theatre Cup" once, and it will be interesting to watch what results they are going to attain with "Lady Precious Stream."

U.C.D.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

ON Wednesday of last week the April edition of the *National Student* was on sale in College. The first thing that strikes one about this number of the *Student*, which comes from the editorship of Mr. Adrian McConnell, is that it is amazingly full. It is full, not only in the sense that it contains more articles and features than previous numbers, but also in the sense that it boasts a considerable variety of matter. There is a preponderance of what might be described as serious articles, which is clearly a step in the right direction. Mr. Leslie Smith, of the International Student Service, who recently visited this country with representatives of the New Ireland Society of Queen's University, Belfast, contributes two articles, both being much on the same lines—namely, the question of intervarsity co-operation in the post-war world, the latter with a particular slant on the position of Ireland.

To make up for the unfortunate *faux pas* of the last issue on the T.B. campaign, there are two really good articles this month. One is by Professor T. W. T. Dillon, the other over the initials F.M.D. Another interesting feature is an anonymous appreciation of the late J. J. O'Connell, with particular reference to his rôle as a founder of the *National Student*. The *Student* this month has, to a great extent, eschewed controversy, the only real controversial article being one by Mr. McConnell on Press references to U.C.D. This was adequate as a refutation of allegations, but one feels that it attaches to them more serious consideration than they deserved. Of the literary efforts Miss Norine McGilligan's article on the Dublin slums, which won the prize offered by the Writer's Group for this subject, shows a restraint in conciseness that is as pleasant as it is unusual. The only short story, which was anonymous, was entitled the "Great Overture." It is strictly in the school of O. Henry. On the side of humour one feels this particular edition of the *Student* has somewhat fallen down. Even allowing for taste, the humorous articles and short "oracles" lack spontaneity, and it should be remembered that the coupling of the name of a male student with that of a lady student is not *per se* an adult joke.

College has now broken up for the Easter vacation, and re-opens on April 25th. Such summer sports clubs as the Tennis Club and the Swimming Clubs have held their annual meetings, and have settled down to open their season proper. Meanwhile the Rugby Club is left in the Cup, meeting Blackrock in the second round next Saturday, and the consciousness of its inadequacy on its last appearance is probably its major asset in the coming match.

"DAMAGED GOODS"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—With reference to the banning of Brieux's play, may I contribute this fact? My friend, J. B. Fagan (an Irishman), produced the play many years ago in London. He got a letter from two undergraduates from Cambridge who had come up to have a gay week-end in London. Having seen "Damaged Goods," they went soberly to bed and wrote thanking Mr. Fagan for having saved them from the perils of venereal disease. Those perils should be broadcast, not suppressed.—Yours, etc.,

LENNOX ROBINSON.
20 Longford terrace, Monkstown, Co. Dublin.
April 2nd, 1944.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	6.55	6.52
Sets	8. 4	8. 5
Lighting-up Time	8.34	8.35

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	9.18	10.15
Evening	9.59	10.46

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Hats; Afternoon and Dinner Frocks, two and three-piece Ensembles, Tailored Suits, Tweed Coats specially designed, Blouses, etc., etc., shown at Miss Doran's Salons, Dawson St.

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CRUISKEEN LAWN
By Myles na gCopaleen

IT would be interesting to know why a book called "Irish Art: A Volume of Articles and Illustrations" was not shown to me before publication c/ why something approaching a conspiracy was plotted to prevent a copy falling into my hands subsequently. Suffice it to say that the plan has miscarried and that a friend has kindly permitted me to examine this "book" and even read certain passages. It must be made clear at the outset that at no time was my authority sought for this publication and no part of anything appearing in it was printed with my knowledge or concurrence. Let there be no room whatever for misunderstanding on that point.

"Art", is it? Again? Ah, musha. (Lights foul cigar and endevours to lie nearly horizontal on arm-chair). The first thing one notices about this book is the not-insignificant statistic that of thirteen "writers" noted in the index, five are architects. Is there any limit to this intolerable affectation that architects know about art and that they are not, as we all thought they were, respectable tradesmen?

The . . . . the next thing one notices is what seems to be a photograph suffering badly from what looks like double exposure. It shows a corner of a room but out of the floor and up to the ceiling grows what seems to be quite a sizeable tree. All this is explained under the heading "Self-Expression—the Creative Instinct." There is no mistake, it seems. "The photograph on page 67 shows modern furniture in use in a corner of a living-room in an old house. The chair is in laminated plywood, steam-pressed and veneered in white sycamore which mellows a beautiful golden tone. The tree standing in a vase of glycerine and water is in reality a large branch whose twigs spread halfway across the ceiling." Two drawbacks occur to me—possible crow nuisance and the uncertainty of getting a felling permit if one got tired of the thing. Withal, it is good to know that we Irish persons are getting deeper and deeper (up to the neck, in fact) in the main stream of European culture." The hibernic ethos has not hitherto acknowledged any indoor trees other than those used for stuffing uninhabited boots; in future "The Elms" as a name on a small house may well mean something (nothing more or less than a forest of the things in the living-room, with owls and bats squeaking inside the piano). And why not a few roods of Pajbjerg in the bedrooms? They tell me the Government would take a high view. (After all, isn't examining the corn a well-known bedroom pastime the world Dover?)

The next incredible thing one sees is this: "Those charcoal drawings of Holbein's are ideal examples of what a portrait should be. They are limited only in so far as his subject was limited."

Not so. They are far more limited. They don't exist at all. Holbein never used charcoal, and it is interesting to note that the author of this remarkable statement elsewhere writes an article on "The Literature of Art." Hmmmmm. Every schoolboy knows that Holbein used black and red chalks known as *sanguin*, and you can buy the same stuff to-day under the style of "conté à Paris." There wouldn't be much of poor Holbein's charcoal left to-day—if he had been fool enough to use the stuff. I use it myself, of course, but only in the Armstrong Siddeley.

"Religious pictures," another man says, "most often fail to be religious because of some defect in the artist's work." Quite so. But if pictures fail to be religious, are they religious pictures? If there be defects in the work, is he then an artist?

Quite frankly much of this book is disquieting; there are deplorable things in it and there seems to be no alternative but to examine it in detail for the next three or four weeks. When one meets within the pages of one book so many honest souls who are anxious to explain to one what art is, it is not sufficient to be resentful; it is necessary to be patiently and carefully violent.

ON THE WIRELESS
IRISH PROGRAMME

NEWS at 1.40, 6.45, 10.0 (Nuacht) and 10.10 p.m.

1.0-1.40—Concert. 1.40—Stock Exchange. 1.45-2.30—Concert. 2.30—Cor Leabhal (Stiuradh Sheamuis Mhic Shamhrain. 6.15—Scealta do'n Aos Og. 6.30—Light Music. 6.40—Stock Exchange. Sports Results. 7.5—City of Dublin Girls' Pipe Band. 7.20—"Sufficient for the Day": Story by Stephen Quin, read by Cyril Cusack. 7.35—"Stabat Mater" (Rossini), from Abbey Presbyterian Church. 8.20—Radio Orchestra. 8.45—Michael O'Higgins (baritone). 9.0—"An Treimhseachan Teann." 9.30—Choral Recital, relayed from the Franciscan Church, Wexford. 10.30—Haydn Quartets, played by the Studio Players.

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

HOME SERVICE.

NEWS at 6 and 7 a.m.; 12 noon, 5, 8 and 11 p.m.

6.15—Exercises. 6.30—Borodin's Second Symphony. 6.55—"Lift Up Your Hearts!" 7.15—Fuel Front. 7.30—Hippodrome Orchestra. 8.0—"Penalty: £5." Talk. 8.15—"Medley." 9.0—Holy Week Reading. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Sibelius, Symphony No. 6 in D minor. 10.0—Jack Payne with his Orchestra. 10.30—"The Princess." Songs. 11.0—Schools. 11.30—Beethoven, Andante in F, Op. 35. 11.50—Break For Music. 12.15—Talk by Graeme Dowling. 12.30—"Music From Both Sides of the Tweed." 1.15—Records. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—"The Boy Sings." 3.0—Scottish Orchestra. 3.40—"Dander," read by Godfrey Baseley. 4.0—News in Welsh. 4.5—Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.30—Book Talk. 5.45—Northern Orchestra. 6.15—"The Night of the Heron." 6.40—"Homes For All." 7.0—"Monday Night at Eight." 8.20—"The Man Born to be King." 9.10—Brahms, Trio in B, Op. 8. 9.45—News in Gaelic. 9.50—Gaelic Programme. 10.15—"Personal Choice." 10.20—Harry Parry with his Sextet.

ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMME.

NEWS at 5.30 and 7 a.m.; 12 noon; 2, 4, 6 and 8 p.m.

NEWS HEADLINES at 6, 8 and 11 a.m.; 1, 2, 5, 9 and 9.59 p.m.

5.42—Time to Dance. 6.1—Orchestral Half-hour. 6.30—Record Album. 7.15 Andre Kostelanetz and his Orchestra (recording). 7.45—"Melody Round-up." More songs of the Golden West (recording). 8.15—Orchestral Music. 9.0—Joe Loss. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Jack Benny Programme. 10.25—"Melody Mixture." 10.40—Reginald Foort (organ). 11.2—To-day's Papers. 11.10—Service. 11.15—"Hello, Swingtime!" 12.10—Commentary. 12.15—Parliamentary Summary. 12.25—Wynford Reynolds and his Orchestra. 1.1—Symphony Orchestra. 1.30—Request Tunes at the Organ. 2.10—"Question Again." 2.15—Favourite Records. 2.30—Radio Newsreel. 2.45—Sports Gazette. 3.0—Favourite Records. 3.15—"Radio Post." 3.45—"Christian Foundations of Freedom." 4.15—Marinea Players. 5.0—Welsh Half-hour. 5.30—Billy Cotton's Song Shop. 6.10—News from Canada. 6.15—Mr. Flotsam and Mr. Jetsam." 6.30—Off the Map. 6.40—Albert Sandler Trio. 6.50—Favourite. 9.0—Northern Orchestra. 9.30—Music While You Work.

ACTING FOR STAGE AND SCREEN

In his talk on filmmaking in Ireland before the Dublin P.E.N. Club on Saturday night Mr. Richard Hayward showed samples of work done by himself for the Northern Ireland Government and the Government of Eire, and answered a number of questions. He said that in the film, under-acting was very important, and all the tricks of the stage were eliminated. There was no affinity between the stage and the film, and the film actor seldom could make a success of the legitimate stage.

Mr. T. Collins, Mr. A. Ganly, and Miss Dorothy Day spoke.

FILM NOTES

BY OUR CINEMA CORRESPONDENT

THERE are only two new films in Dublin this week. The more interesting of the two, **Standing Room Only**, is a farce, and it is showing in the Capitol. Those who saw "The More the Merrier" may be a little weary of the current American joke about the shortage of accommodation in war-time Washington, but Holly-wood seems determined to squeeze this particular comic lemon dry. It only remains to say that the plot, such as it is, is neatly contrived, and its improbability is not in the least irksome. The lady in the case is Paulette Goddard, and her forthright swain turns out to be Fred MacMurray. Edward Arnold and Roland Young round off a most intelligent team of principals.

Of this week's re-issues, **Adam Had Four Sons** (Adelphi) is the most worthy of a visit. Ingrid Bergman acts very nicely as Emilie, the French governess, who takes charge of Adam Stoddart's four sons, but even she has her thunder stolen by Susan Hayward as Hester, the dangerous little vamp that David Stoddart (Johnny Downs) married before setting out for the last Great War. Warner Baxter is adequate as Adam.

The Carlton has revived **Saloon Bar**, the Gordon Harker comedy-thriller of a few years ago. Although the action of this play is rather too restricted for the screen, "Saloon Bar" is infinitely more effective than most other British films of this vintage. The celluloid is not in very good condition, but nothing of vital importance is missing. The supporting feature is **The Golden Hour**, with Paulette Goddard and James Stewart.

The Bowery (Royal)—This is a re-issue full of vigour and robust intelligence. George Raft and Wallace Beery make a capital team, and get ressonably good support from Jackie Cooper and Fay Wray.

Asking For Trouble (Corinthian) stars Max Miller, the "Cheeky Chappie" of the English music-halls. The best sequence shows Mr. Miller impersonating a "Pukka Sahib from Poona."

The Feminine Touch (Grand Central) is a truly witty comedy of circumstance. Rosalind Russell, Don Ameche and Van Heflin make the most of a brilliant screen play.

OTHER CINEMAS

The Song of Bernadette (Metropole), **Flesh and Fantasy** (Regal), **Little Lord Fauntleroy** (Astor), **When We Are Married** (Grafton), **Queen of Broadway** (De Luxe), **Slightly Dangerous** (P

SOVEREIGN'S FINE WIN AT LEOPARDSTOWN

EXCELLENT racing was provided at Leopardstown on Saturday, and, although all the winners were well supported, followers of favourites had to wait till the last race for their initial success.

Sovereign, owned by Lord Bicester, who recently acquired the Irish Grand National candidate, Prince Blackthorn, gave a fine display in the Renvyle Steeplechase, staying on stoutly to resist the challenge of the game Knight's Crest.

Mr F. S Myerscough had his first success this season when his Felicitation colt, Skyline, capably ridden by J. Eddery, came along on the outside with a nice run to win by a length and a half from the fast-finishing Magic Bridge.

Trainer Wellesley has an extremely useful colt in Good Morning, who, steered by the smart apprentice, Brendan Duffy, came through on the rails in the Mallarany Plate for a length and a half win. The favourite, Bosbridge, who led until the straight was reached, finished fifth, well behind.

2.50—CLONKEEN MAIDEN T.Y.O. PLATE, £100. 5f.

Hisway, g. c. by His Highness—Anyway (Mr. J. McVey, jun.), 9-0 ...... John Power 1
Joy Fair, 8-10 ...... G. Wells 2
Pilot Sergeant, 9-0 ...... M. Wing 3

Boy Boy, 9-0 P. Canty), 4; Golden Coral, 8-10 (J. A. Dardis), 5; Golden Victory, 8-10 (D. Johnson), 6; Mr. Deans, 8-10 (J Morohan), 7; The Laird, 9-0 (R. Quinlin). Oxx.

5/4 Pilot Sergeant, 9/4 HISWAY, 4/1 Joy Fair, 8/1 Boy Boy, 20/1 others. Tote—6/6; places, 2/6, 2/6, 2/6. 6l.; hd.

3.20—CLIFDEN HANDICAP HURDLE, £100. 2m.

Mark Twain, b. g., by Prince Galahad—Hazel Oge (Mr. D. Malone), a. 9-7 ...... L. McMorrow 1
Doremi, a. 11-5 ...... J. Brogan 2
Missing Link, a. 10-0 ... T. McNeill 3

Golspie, 10-12 (J. Moynihan), 4; Hydora, 10-9 (B O'Neill), 5; Knightswood, 9-7 (E. J Kennedy), 6; Apios, 11-9 (F. Mangan) 7; Royal Yacht, 12-3 (M. Gordon); Staplegrove, 11-7 (M. C. Prendergast); Winawar, 11-2 (R. Quinlin); Mel's Abbey, 11-4 (E. Newman); Fergus O'Ferrall, 10-8 (E. Hannigan); Cockasnook, 10-8 (Jerry Fitzgerald). Owner.

5/4 Doremi, 4/1 MARK TWAIN, 5/1 Hydora, 6/1 Missing Link, 7/1 Cockasnook, 10/1 Mel's Abbey, 100/8 Apios, 20/1 others. Tote 9/6; places, 3/6, 3/- 4/-. 6l.; hd.

3.50—KYLEMORE 'CHASE, £100. 2 m. 175 yds.

African Collection, ch g., by Prester John—Down with the Dust (Miss E. Shortiss), 5, 11-8...A. Brabazon 1
Icy Torrent, a, 11-9...... M. Browne 2
Yung-Yat, a, 12-0...... D. Morgan 3

Heroic, 11-9 (Mr. G. Dunwoody), 4; Peter's Gift, 12-0 (J. Brogan), 5; Muktar, 11-13 (P. J. Murphy), 6; Happy Home, 11-8 (R. J. O'Ryan), 7; Milk Bar, 12-9 (T. Molony), fell; Exile Warrior, 12-5 (M. Gordon), fell; Picture Saint, 12-0 (J. P. Hogan), fell; Arden Loch, 11-9 (D. Ruttle); African Glen, 12-0 (P. Powell), p.u.; Coronation Laddie, 12-0 (V. Mooney), p.u.; Morebattle, 12-0 (M. C. Prendergast); Far Cry, 12-0 (T. Hyde); Bournabreena, 11-9 (Jas Ryan), p.u.; Rhodes, 11-8 (T. Ellis), fell; Spot Cash, 11-13 (E. Newman), fell; Knight of the Deep, 10-3 (J. Farrell), fell. Brabazon.

2/1 Exile Warrior, 3/1 AFRICAN COLLECTION, 5/1 Yung-Yat, 6/1 Peter's Gift, 8/1 Spot Cash, 20/1 Icy Torrent and others. Tote, 7/6; places, 3/6, 149/6, 3/6. 4l.; 6l.

4.20—MALLARANNY PLATE, £100. 7f.

Good Morning, b. c., by Sir Cosmo—Morning Dew (Mr. Y. J. Kirkpatrick), 3, 8-2...... B. Duffy 1
Acquiescence, 3, 7-10...... J. Tyrrell 2
Glengrigor, 3, 8-2...... John Power 3

Pacifier, 8-0 (J. Eddery), 4; Bosbridge, 8-3 (M. Wing), 5; Spartan Runner, 9-4 (J. Connolly), 6; Toujours Pret, 9-4 (W. Howard), Luan Casca, 9-4 (E. M. Quirke); Solar Valley, 9-4 (B. O'Neill); Going, 9-4 (M. Hartnett); Onyva, 9-4 (G. Wells); Jimtown, 9-4 (P. Canty); Fete de Neuilly, 9-4 (M. C. Prendergast); Roddy, 8-0 (M. Nolan); Shalimar, 7-7 (P. Butler); Trumpeter, 7-7 (F. Dardis); Burnthurst, 8-0 (C. Newman). Wellesley.

5/4 Bosbridge, 5/2 GOOD MORNING, 7/2 Pacifier, 100/8 Spartan Runner, Glengrigor and Onyva, 20/1 Roddy and Solar Valley, 50/1 Acquiescence and others. Tote, 8/-; places, 5/-, 13/6, 5/-. 1½l.; 1l.

4.50—RENVYLE 'CHASE, £200. 3 m. 100 yds.

Sovereign, b. g. by Knight of Kilcash—Golden Land (Lord Bicester), a. 10-10 ...... D. Morgan 1
Knight's Crest, a, 11-3...... M. Moloney 2
Summer Star, a, 11-0...... E. Newman 3

Crickstown, 9-9 (M. G. Dunwoody), 4; Callaly, 11-12 (V. Mooney), 5; Kilstar, 11-0 (A. Brabazon), 6; Slieve Dub, 11-2 (T. Hyde), 7; Messenger Girl, 9-7 E. J. Kennedy), fell. Fetherston.

5/2 Knight's Crest and Kilstar, 4/1 Summer Star, 9/2 SOVEREIGN, 6/1 Slieve Dub, 100/8 Messenger Girl, 20/1 others. Tote, 10/-; places, 2/6, 2/6, 2/6. 6l.; 12l.

5.20—KNOCKSINNA PLATE, £100. 1m.

Skyline, b. c. by Felicitation—Painted Cloud (Mr. F. S. Myerscough), 4, 7-8 ...... J. Eddery 1
Magic Bridge, 4, 8-5 ...... M. Wing 2
Charles's Wain, 4, 7-8...... R. Quinlin 3

Acrostic, 7-0 (P. Powell, jun.), 4; Fumble, 7-8 (D. Lonnelly), 5; Arts Ball, 7-13 (M. Nolan), 6; Ballyfatton, 7-3 (J. Cox), 7; Scottish Welcome, 8-8 (J. Tyrrell), 8; Chungking, 9-6 (T. Burns); Foam Crest, 8-13 (E. Newman); Wrong Note, 8-13 (E. M. Quirke); Astronomic, 8-9 (G. Wells); Tacitus, 8-9 (John Doyle); Felspar, 8-6 (H. Holmes); King's Row, 8-6 (P. Canty); Sweet Eileen, 7-7 (P. J. Doyle); Barrousel, 8-0 (M. Hartnett); Ekyad, 7-13 (A. Barrett); Sea Mist, 7-4 (B. Duffy), Brigid, 7-8 (J. Patman); Tasmanian, 7-8 (W. Howard); Head Dress, 7-0 (F. Carney). Owner.

3/1 Magic Bridge 4/1 Ballyfatton and Acrostic, 5/1 SKYLINE, 6/1 Scottish Welcome, 7/1 Fumble; 10/1 Arts Ball, Sea Mist, Charles's Wain, and Astronomic; 20/1 others. Tote, 15/6; places, 5/6, 6/6, 16/-. 1½l.; ½l.

5.50—LEENANE PLATE, £100. 2m.

Silver San, ch. g. by Spion Kop—Kitty San (Mr. R. McIlhagga), 6, 12-0 ...... Mr. R. A. Hoey 1
Good Date, 6, 11-9 Mr. M. N. Walker 2
Knight of Clonee, a, 12-0 Mr. P. J. Lenehan 3

Carrig Dub, 11-9 (Mr. G. Dunwoody), 4; Lucky Time, 11-9 (Mr. W. Barry), 5; Dr. Dick, 11-9 (Mr. W. Taaffe), 6; Steel Flame, 12-0 (Mr. P. P. Hogan), 7; Judrygo, 11-9 (Mr. H. G. Surman); Clonee Friar, 11-9 (Mr. P. Connolly); Arch Knight, 12-0 (Comdt. D. Corry); The Red Oak, 12-0 (Mr. D. G. Morgan); Fergus, 12-0 (Mr. G. V. Malcomson); Picker, 11-9 (Mr. J. T. Doyle); Southern Lass, 11-8 (Mr. J. R. Cox); Rightaway, 11-8 (Mr. J. Tully); Blandshee, 11-9 (Mr S. McGrath). B. Nugent.

2/1 SILVER SAN, 4/1 Southern Lass, 5/1 Good Date, 6/1 Steel Flame and Knight of Clonee, 10/1 Fergus, 20/1 others. Tote—5/6; places, 3/-, 5/-, 3/-. Nk.; 5l.

TOTE DOUBLE—African Collection and Sovereign, £6 19/6; 85 winning units; pool £640 15/-. Day's aggregate £5,729 7/- (last year £5,726 13/-).

Gill (Wanderers) being brought down in the match with Lansdowne on Saturday.

Wanderers Qualify For Rugby Semi-final

By Our Rugby Football Correspondent.

DEFEATING Lansdowne by 13 points to nil at Lansdowne road on Saturday, Wanderers reached the semi-final of the Leinster Senior Rugby Cup, where they await the winners of the Old Belvedere - Curragh Command tie next Saturday. In the other second-round match on Saturday, Clontarf and St. Mary's drew, and will replay next Wednesday. The winners here will meet either U.C.D. or Blackrock College in the other semi-final.

WANDERERS... 13 LANSDOWNE... 0

Lansdowne were right out of luck on this occasion; first of all, Con Murphy was unable to turn out owing to a strained ligament, and his usually efficient deputy at full-back, B. Mathews, was below his best form; but a much more important factor in their defeat was the loss of D. Hingerty midway through the first half. Apart from his general value in the open play, Hingerty is the most devastating tackler in Irish Rugby, and his departure was fatal to the team's chances.

Wanderers won by 2 goals (1 penalty) to nil, all the scores coming in the last twenty minutes. It was an almost featureless game, for neither side would take the slightest chance in attack, the ball being despatched to touch even on the rare occasions when a reasonable opening was presented for a passing movement. The majority of the backs committed the fault of looking at the opposition instead of watching the ball when waiting to take a pass, with the result that perfectly accurate passes were put on the ground. The main offender in this respect was Rafter, in the centre for Wanderers, but Robertson was little better, and his attempts to introduce an unusual note into the attacking play by giving an inside pass to his out-half were so slow as to be futile.

NO PENETRATION

The Lansdowne backs handled with slightly more confidence than the opposition, but only once did they look like scoring, and altogether there was a lamentable absence of snap and penetration about the back play. A stiff breeze and drizzling rain may have been a handicap, but neither set of backs shaped like overcoming it.

The solid, well-trained Wanderers pack did most to bring their team through. They took a long time to master the seven Lansdowne forwards, but finally wore them down, and eventually pinned them in their own half of the field. They had no individual forward as good as P. J. Horan, who did splendidly in the loose for Lansdowne, but every man did his share of the work. For some time before the end, Lansdowne were further handicapped by injuries to E. Dalton, who was carried off.

Lansdowne, with the breeze, had the better of the first half, but their best attempt to score was shortly before Wanderers took the lead, Burke breaking through in the centre to send O'Flanagan over in the corner, but the pass was forward. A neat break-through by Doherty from a scrum in the Lansdowne 25 enabled Collins to score, and Robertson converted. Then came an extraordinarily lucky try. Robertson sliced a drop-kick right across to Taylor, who gathered on the run, and with the defence out of position, romped over. Robertson again converted. The scoring ended with a penalty goal by Robertson from an easy position.

CLONTARF ...... 3 ST. MARY'S 3

Conditions became much worse for the second match; and it developed into a battle between the forwards. Clontarf got a penalty goal in the first few minutes and held the lead until fifteen minutes from the end, when St. Mary's equalised from a similar award. Here again, the loss of a player made a big difference; for Lyons, the Clontarf front-row forward, who was injured early on, retired at the interval, and his team were hard-pressed to save the game in the second half.

Even while they were at full strength, Clontarf's scrummaging was disappointing, and St. Mary's more than held their own here, but some of Clontarf's loose rushes were hard to stop. The tackling on both sides was too keen to allow of much progress being made in attack; but in one of the rare slips made in defence, Clontarf lost a certain five points in a remarkable way. From a scrum at mid-field, St. Mary's heeled, but Coveney dropped his pass and Mullen snapped it up for a run through to the full-back. He kicked ahead, and Moran outdistanced the opposition to gather the ball on the line, but just as he was about to ground it between the posts it sprang out of his hands and St. Mary's got the touch-down.

That was the only moment when a try seemed likely. Each team attacked when they had the wind behind them, and St. Mary's were certainly on top towards the end, but once they had got the equalising points a draw was always the likely result. Williams and Norton, the full-backs, kicked the goals, both from easy positions.

PROVINCIAL TOWNS' CUP

At Sydney parade on Saturday, Skerries defeated New Ross 11-0 in the semi-final of the Provincial Towns' Cup. Sherwin (2) and D. Cashel scored tries for Skerries, Duff converting one.

LEINSTER SCHOOLS WIN WELL

LEINSTER ...... 12, ULSTER ...... 6.

Leinster Schools had such superiority in the scrummages that they should have been well ahead at half-time against Ulster on Saturday, at Ravenhill, but the backs did not strike form until after the interval. Then they rounded off the good work of the forwards, and Leinster were worthy winners by four tries to a penalty goal and a try.

Ulster forwards were lively in the loose, but their backs were disappointing. Belton, Craven and McEvoy shaped well in the Leinster pack.

Byrne scored a try after twenty minutes, and five minutes later Bunting made the scores level. In the second half Byrne (2) and O'Connell scored for Leinster, and McKibbin kicked a penalty for Ulster. All the tries were unconverted.

Other Belfast Results. — North of Ireland, 15; Civil Service, nil. Collegians, 11; Bangor Grammarians, 3.

7TH BRIGADE ARE ARMY CHAMPIONS

7th BRIGADE... 10 2nd BRIGADE... 3

In the Army championship final at Limerick yesterday, 7th Brigade (holders) beat 2nd Brigade by 10 points to 3. Daly scored for 7th after 20 minutes. Aherne, following a fine run by Curtin, got the second try, which Curtin converted. He converted the first also. Byrne kicked a penalty goal for 2nd.

Limerick Senior Schools' Cup—Crescent College 3, Mungret nil.

Munster Senior Cup (Limerick area final)—Garryowen 3, Younger Munster nil. Cork area final—Dolphin 8, University College, Cork, 6.

The Spirit Of Unity In Ireland

SPEAKING at a Fine Gael meeting in Killarney on Saturday, General Mulcahy declared that the recent episode of the American Note had demonstrated that the imperishable spirit of determination to defend Irish sovereignty and its territory filled all classes in the country. Even amid the thorns of party division during the last twenty-three years that spirit had grown to full bloom and strength from the seeds of action sown and nurtured from 1913 to 1921. It should be a great source of national strength and confidence, no matter what difficulties and problems the nation might be called upon to tackle.

There was a second thing that the episode demonstrated, and that was that the spirit of freedom and independence fostered and developed out of the experiences of the last Great War in the countries of the British Commonwealth of Nations was what it claimed to be, and that they were truly a group of countries regarding each other as co-equal in status in every way. They were in no way subordinate one to another in any aspect of their external or internal on peace and war, but were ready to co-operate of their own free will and according to their own judgments in all matters considered to be of mutual interest.

In the world of to-morrow both Ireland's advantage as well as her honour demanded that she shall do more than stand even proudly and courageously on the defensive. Ireland's unity of spirit in defence is only the outward sign of her unity of spirit and outlook in those social, economic and spiritual matters which should be the concern of a Christian people. Socially, economically and spiritually our people are a homogeneous people. "In the democratic programme passed by the First Dail during its first session we enshrined fundamental social principals to be worked out by legislative and administrative action. The putting into operation of these has been delayed by party divisions and the destruction of opportunity which these bring about.

"The desires that we had for our people in 1919 are now being expressed for their own people by the statesmen of most countries now deeply engaged in war. The Government are failing to bring about that unity of thought or to show any initiative or energy to take advantage of our more favourable circumstances here, to bring about social improvements that will be demanded with very loud voices to-morrow, and that cannot then be provided, except from production planned and carried out to-day."

HISTORIC CITY CHURCH

"GEORGE the Third was King . . . Napoleon was at the height of his power . . . Nelson had been dead only three years . . . Slavery was still practised in the British colonies . . . The Act of Union was almost a new thing . . ." And York Street Congregational Church was opened for religious worship in Dublin. That was in the year 1808.

These interesting facts were recalled by the Rev. N. F. W. McPherson yesterday when he conducted the last Service in York Street Congregational church, which has been sold to the Salvation Army, and will be used as a hostel and administrative offices. The new Congregational church will be in Adelaide road, Dublin.

The preacher said that in the year 1802 Alderman H. Hutton and eight others purchased, at their own risk, for the sum of £3,000, the town house of the Earl of Roden. They sold the house and part of the land for almost as much as the whole cost, so that they obtained the site of the chapel itself at a very low price. Nearly six years after the purchase of the land the chapel was ready for use in the summer of 1808. It was capable of accommodating about 2,000. The first Service was shared by the Rev. Thos. Harding and the Rev. Rowland Hill, the famous minister of the Surrey chapel in London.

The church had been opened at a time "when the state of religion in Ireland was one which some had described as 'careless indifference' on most sides." The great movement of the eighteenth century, inaugurated in England by the Wesleys and Whitfield was not without its influence in Ireland then. John Wesley had visited Ireland no less than twentyone times, and Whitfield at least three times. For the first two years at York street it was not permitted to give instruction in the tenets of any particular Christian religious sect or denomination, the pulpit being open to ministers of every Reformed Church who held and preached the doctrines contained in the Articles of the Church of England and the Westminster Confession of Faith.

Among those who came to preach were the Rev. George Clayton, who numbered among his London congregation Robert Browning, whose famous son was born in 1812; and the Rev. S. J. Whitmee, who gave his first lessons in the Samoan language to Robert Louis Stevenson.

Why you should START AN ARCHITECT ON A PLAN NOW

THE Government has decided to control both private and public building in the period following the war. Because conditions are bound to be difficult and materials scarce, a First Priority List will be drawn up and each proposed building will be considered for admission to the list.

But no building will be admitted to the list unless all preliminary work, including final plans, bills of quantities (where necessary) and acquisition of sites has been completed.

A survey of building and constructional projects is now being carried out. Unless you have made all preparations so that you can start work immediately the war ends, your project stands no chance of getting on the First Priority List. So, start an architect on a plan, NOW.

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Shelbourne and Rovers For F.A.I. Cup Final

SHAMROCK ROVERS 5; DRUMCONDRA, 2.

A REMARKABLE match in the second leg of the F.A.I. Cup semi-final at Dalymount Park yesterday had an amazing ending. For the greater part of the opening half the Mulville-Martin-O'Mara half-back line had the Rovers' forwards in a well-twisted knot. The same thing happened during the first 30 minutes of the second half, and the holders' prospects in a replay were being discussed, Drumcondra having cleared off their two goals arrears.

Even when Coad restored the Rovers' lead, the Tolka Park team looked good enough for the draw; but in an attempt to put Crowe offside, the Drumcondra fulls were taken completely unawares by Rogers, who dashed through from below the half-way line, dribbled on, and made it 2-2 for Rovers. Then the grand defence of Drumcondra crumpled up; five times in the last half hour their goalkeeper, Flynn, was beaten; and Rovers winning on a 7-2 aggregate, will meet Shelbourne in the final for the second time in twenty years.

The re-arranged Drumcondra team did splendidly until McGlynn, half-way through the first half, was injured. Then McNamara took over the leadership, McGlynn going on to the left wing. At the start of the second period McGrane went from the right wing to the left. But it was not until that bad slip-up by the backs that let Rogers through that the Rovers gained the upper hand. Afterwards, the match developed into a regular rout of the holders.

During lengthy spells in the first half, the Rovers' defence was rather shaky, Doherty being a weak link on the left. As a matter of fact, it was the most slovenly game the Rovers had played in a Cup tie for a long time, but when the tide turned they got to it like one man, and their headlong rushes were irresistible. The "crocking" of McGlynn had something to do with it; but the blame for the crushing defeat must be allotted to the defence, impregnable though it was for so long. Possibly it was unable to stick the pace, for the game was brisk and strenuous.

Drumcondra led at the interval by a clear goal scored by McNamara with a header from an overhead kick by McGrane. A minute after the resumption Ward made it 2-0. After 30 mins., from a centre by Eglinton, Coad put Rovers ahead, and the other goals came from Rogers, Coad and Rogers (2) in that order.

Attendance, 16,982; receipts, £870.

BRIGHT DISPLAY BY SHELBOURNE

SHELBOURNE..... 3 DUNDALK..... 1

After the first twenty minutes at Dalymount Park on Saturday one always had the feeling that it was Shelbourne's turn to get to the final of the Cup. Their forwards were much more business-like, and the team had the additional advantage of a defence that made the Dundalk line look third-rate. The Louth side rallied occasionally; but when, at the interval, the champions led 2-1 everyone must have regarded the result as a foregone conclusion.

It was Shelbourne's best and brightest display of the season, but, though they won with an aggregate of 4-2, it would be unwise from this to attempt to assess their prospects in the final against Shamrock Rovers. Dundalk's exhibition was, perhaps, the worst they have given in a Cup tie for years. Altogether too much work was thrown on their defence; they had not a forward who individually was worth his salt, while collectively they were hopeless. In fact, the only players of the team who came out with credit were Grice and Donnelly, the wing halves, but for whose wholehearted enthusiasm, skill, and stamina a heavier defeat would have resulted.

From the start Shelbourne played the typical Cup tie game; their forwards kept down the field, waiting for the long, forward clearances of backs and halves. With Leathem having an off day, McCluskey, Cassidy, and Walsh were always a danger to Matier, who was anything but happy in the Dundalk goal. The veteran Kennedy struck his best form of the season, and, with Cassidy, gave Grice and Hearty a lot of running about; and only Donnelly prevented Walsh and Fallon from ripping the defence to pieces. P. Kinsella's mastery of Flanagan, and Gannon's and Mullaly's play on the wings of the middle line, rendered the efforts of the Dundalk attack futile as a rule; and when the challenge did come their way the diminutive, courageous Whelan and Olphert were there.

From Kennedy's corner kick Fallon nodded the ball on to McCluskey, whose head sent it beyond Matier (six minutes). Fallon was adjudged offside when he netted after 18 minutes; but ten minutes later Matier was again beaten by a high one from Walsh. Barlow, following a free by Lavery, reduced the leeway, but then Leathem, almost on the goal line, warded off another for Shelbourne. One minute only of the second half had gone when, from Kennedy's pass, Walsh turned on the ball, and with a grounder hoodwinked Matier. That ended the story; with half an hour to go Dundalk were well beaten. The attendance was 6,611, receipts £393.

SHELBOURNE PARK GREYHOUND RACING

525.—Sweeping Valley (6), 3/1, 1; Sandycroft (1), 2/1, 2; Dodgem Rowley (2), 2/1, 3; The Hatchet (5), 4/1, 4; Leap Frog (4), 8/1, 5; Trabolgan Bay (3), 8/1, 6. 2½l.; 3l. 31.20. Owner (Mr. F. Cullen).

525.—Brave Admiral (1), 6/4, 1; Rhett Butler (2), 8/1, 2; Model Border (5), 5/2, 3; Olive's Rest (4), 7/1, 4; Boro Lad (3), 10/1, 5; Black Kilrea (6), 7/2, 6. Neck; ½l. 31.45. Dowling. (Mr. M. Donworth.)

360—Sprucefield Rambler (1), 5/2, 1; Lady Clourcaske (2), evens, 2; Osprey Gip (6), 6/1, 3; His Home (3), 4/1, 4; Newhill Maid (5), 10/1, 5. Head; ½l. 20.67. Owner (Mr. S. Walker).

550.—Clongorey Witch (2), 5/1, 1; Red Rose (3), 4/1, 2; Cheerful Dame (1), 4/6, 3; Ballymaston Lass (5), 7/1, 4; Border Jenny (4), 8/1, 5; Lady Gopher (6), 4/1, 6. 3l. 2l. 32.40. Owner (Mr. D. O'Dea).

525.—Black Nap (1), 8/4, 1; Ballynennon Dauntless (6), 10/1, 2; Blonders (4), 2/1, 3; Lissawney (2), 7/1, 4; Cill Dara (5), 6/1 5; Haunted Light (3), 8/1, 6. 5l.; same. Lynch. (Mr. J. Kearns.)

525.—(Sweepstake Final).—**Noisy Brigade** (1), 7/2, 1; Boro Moon (3), 5/2, 2; Aden's Bell (2), 4/1, 3; Dark Intruder (4), 3/1, 4; Leningradskaya (5), 2/1, 5. 3l.; 2½l. 30.85. Owner (Mr. R. McNeice).

525.—Persian Lady (3), 8/1, 1; Bold Iris (6, 6/1), 2; Jolly Hazel (4), 5/4, 3; The Linnet (1), 5/2, 4; Come Away (6), 10/1, 5; Glorach (2), 3/1, 6. ½l.; 2l. 31.90. Healy. (Mr. R. Murphy.)

CORK—Red Spitfire (4/1), 30.50; Flame of Glory (2/1), 30.75; Ben Machree (7/4), 30.85; Reenigher Rose (6/4), 30.96; Truthful James (4/1), 31.98; Kilgarriff Dasher (1/4), 30.50; Prince Blackthorn (4/6), 32.30.

SHELBOURNE PARK CARD

525—Kilcock Post, Fancy Farloe, Ardenode Lad, **Jungle Friar**, Barloughton Blue, **Great Terror**, Dodgem Rowley, Kilbelian Lad.

525—J. Dasher, Ramoun, Scotia's Midnight, Castledown Joker, Holiday Eats, Ferau **Brigade**, Hill Cat, Trabolgan Bay.

360—Jungle Fruit, Bally Sheehan, Munster Express, Rebel Yank, **Lone Bess**, Blue Eyed Sendy, Gypsy Fire.

525 — **Spa** Princess, Manhattan Maureen, Valeria, Jubilee Round, Barbara's Charm, **Castletown Blonde**, Jolly Hazel, White Rolls.

525 — Foggy River, **Pop Them Off Again**, Slaney Belle, Susan Alannah, Waltz Time, Wandering Maid, Ballymastone Lass, Red Rose.

525—Delvin Calling, Portarthur Hero, French Sailor, **Bright Iris**, Farloe Dump, Rally Royal, Well Salted, Cill Dara.

525—Dark Inler, Charming Prince, Seldom Inn, **Lavinstown Lane**, Bachelor Lane, Down Signal, Tarka, Luckless.

LONDON TRACK WINNERS

Walthamstow—Honest Romance (7/2), 1; Westminster Chimes, 2. Proof Again (3/1), 1; Cliff Eagle, 2. Gypsy Win (4/9, fav.), 1; Riverstown Ranger, 2. Point Rufus (6/1), 1; Border Rum, 2. Gay Admiral (4/1), 1; Chine Line, 2. Derryboy Jubilee (3/1), 1; Baytown Brougham, 2. Holystone Homeguard (3/1), 1; Staunch and True, 2. Dutton Hurricane (11/4, fav.), 1; Royal Hunter 2.

Wembley—Bilting Apollo (7/1), 1; Pip McNab 2. Cut and Shuffle Again (5/2, fav.), 1; Junita, 2. Lowertown's Best non-runner. Sandhills Aroon (5/4, fav.), 1; Fakenham Extract, 2. Fakenham Excel (7/4), 1; Frontier Command, 2. Little Boy Brindle (5/2) and Dough Boy (9/1), dead-heated. Top of the Class (7/1), 1; Cook's Watercolour, 2. Green Lawn Hawker (3/1), 1; Kilfeakle Queen, 2. Billeen Macanta (5/2, co-fav.), 1; Razmak Brigade, 2.

Wimbledon—Novices' Handicap (7/4, fav.), 1; Wootsy's Beat, 2. Mary Hasty (6/1), 1; Preston Girlie, 2. Alvaston Pasha (6/1), 1; Bold Invader, 2. Battle Hawk (8/1), 1; Clongorey Time 2. Corblimey (100/8), 1; Radio Blond, 2. Let Out Tanist (10/1), 1; Fawn Cherry (5/1), 2; Disputed Rattler (8/11, fav.), 3. Creamery Beauty (5/1), 1; Dawn Valley, 2. Crossbarry Rattler (7/4, fav.), 1; Mutual Friend, 2.

ARMY TEAM TO MEET THE REST

The team to represent the Army against The Rest at Dalymount Park on April 23rd is going to take some beating. The selectors are to be complimented on a really good day's work. The team is:—Pte. Crawley (St. James's Gate); Cpl. Coyle (Bohemians) Pte. Aherne (Limerick); Pte. P. Molloy (Bohemians), Pte. P. Kinsella (Shelbourne) Pte. Martin (Drumcondra); Pte. F Glennon (Bohemians), Pte. Crowe (Shamrock Rovers), Pte. O'Leary (Limerick), Pte. E. Dunne (Shamrock Rovers), Pte. Fallon (Shelbourne).

TO MEET LEINSTER LEAGUE

Following will represent the Northern Amateur League against the Leinster League at Dalymount Park on Saturday next:—J. A. Liblock; J. A. McDonald, J. McConnell; J. Dunnan, G. Prentice, H. Rankin (capt.); R. McEleveny, R. Stokes, G. Bunting, S. McCullagh, B. Murray.

North Regional League.—Belfast Celtic 7, Cliftonville 1; Glentoran 4, Distillery 2; Derry City 5 Linfield 3.

TO-DAY'S SPORTING FIXTURE

Greyhound Racing—Shelbourne Park, 7.30.

INGLE WINS: COLLINS BEATEN IN BELFAST

In a welter-weight bout at Belfast on Saturday Jimmy Ingle beat Tommy Armour, the latter retiring in the fifth round with a cut eye. J. Meikle knocked out Joe Collins (Dublin) in a bantam-weight bout.

IRISH FENCING CHAMPIONSHIP

The Ladies' Senior Foils Championship of Ireland was decided on Saturday at the premises of the Percy L.T.C., Donnybrook, when Miss D. Dermody (Dublin F.C.), who won the title two years ago, and who was unable to compete last year, regained the championship. Last year's finalists, Miss Jean Beattie (holder), and Miss Eve Watkinson, did not compete, but Miss Dermody gained her title only after a barrage with Miss S. Farrell (Achilles F.C.). Miss P. O'Flanagan (Achilles F.C.) being placed third.

The Men's Epée Championship was decided at the same venue, a surprise being the elimination of J. Whyte, the holder, at an early stage. After a barrage with K. Uhlemann (Dublin), Dr. Solomons, his clubmate, won the title, with W. R. C. Parke, another Dublin F.C. member, taking third place.

CYCLING TIME TRIAL

On the Navan road yesterday the first of the season's open time-trials was held, the event being a twenty-five under the auspices of the Round Tower C.C. Members of the promoting club secured most of the honours of the event, A. Christie being fastest of the five men, who beat 66 mins. They also won the team award, as well as the handicap.

Fastest Times:—A. Christie (Round Tower), 1h. 5m. 7s.; M. Anderson (Bohermeen), 1h. 5m. 28s.; V. Lyons (Eagle), 1h. 5m. 30s.; T. McGowan (Harp), 1h. 5m. 53s.; C. Moore (City and Suburban), 1h. 5m. 57s.; C. O'Reilly (Harp), 1h. 6m. 31s. Handicap Result:—1, P. Heaney (Round Tower), 9 mins., 57.59; 2, P. Buggle (Harp), 8 mins., 58.9; 3, E. Mitchell (Harp), 12 mins., 58.6. Team Award—Round Tower (Christie, Heaney and Barnes); aggregate time, 3h. 19m. 23s.

DUBLIN SENIOR G.A.A. CHAMPIONSHIPS

(By PAT'O.)

Football—Civil Service, - gl. 7 pts.; Geraldines, 8 pts.

Hurling—Eastern Command, 3-9; U.C.D., 4-2.

Geraldines' defeat in the first round of the Dublin Senior Championship was unexpected. Civil Service showed fine pace and understanding, though Geraldines almost pulled the game through in a great final rally. Eastern Command surprised hurling fans in playing their best hurling for years. U.C.D. missed Stokes for the bulk of an hour. Army's longer hitting won in a fast finish.

Civil Service were away quickly, and Falvey placed Maher for two clever points against the breeze. Kennedy then sent Geraldines downfield. C. O'Sullivan and Kearney balanced scores. O'Sullivan and Kelly set the score 4-2 in Geraldines' favour, but Service were playing with fine understanding, and Lynch placed Hogarty, who crossed to Tanzy, for a great goal. Fenton showed pace on Geraldines' right and swung the level score across.

Lynch and Kelly kept scores level, and teams were still flat when Tanzy and Kelly exchanged. Maguire put Service ahead with an overhead drive, but they were level for the fifth time when Kelly pointed. Service had more pace in subsequent exchanges, and Maher clinched the game with two points. Geraldines tried hard to the end.

HURLING.

Army hurled with much dash in the first half; after Solon pointed for U.C.D., Lieut. Walsh had two minors for Army. Hurley balanced, and Cummins had a good goal for U.C.D. Army finished the half well, rushing a point and scoring two goals from Lieut. Walsh and Captain Loughnane.

Eastern Command went further ahead with scores from Flanagan and McDonnell, but College rallied with two flying goals from Cummins and White, but McDonnell and Dr. Loughlane and Baggott gave Army a 6 pts. lead. A grand goal by Daly revived College hopes.

Crumlin Result—Eoghan Ruadh, 7 gls 6 pts.; Commercials, 2gls. 3 pts.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY

SENIOR LEAGUE RESULTS

Pembroke Wands. 1, Railway U. 1.
Loreto Past 1, Optimists 0.
Muckross 3, Newcomes 1.
Maids 5, Shielmartin 1.
Old College 4, Pembroke W. II. 2.
U.C.D. 3, Maids II. 3.
Wicklow Past 3, Sion Hill 2.

PEAT CUP (Final)

Naas 3, Civil Service 2.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE (Final)

Newcomes 2nd 3, Muckross 3rd 0.

Y.M.C.A. RETAIN IRISH SENIOR HOCKEY CUP

Y.M.C.A. retained the Irish Cup when they beat Banbridge at Bladon Drive, Belfast, by 3-1 after extra time.

The winners' forwards finished better, and were always dangerous in the circle. Their defence was very sound, Sanderson doing good work. The only goal of the first half fell to Y.M.C.A., R. Walker scoring in the second half. P. McCabe equalised, and Banbridge had chances to win, but shot weakly.

Forty minutes' extra time was played, and Coulter and Sanderson got goals for Y.M.C.A.

THREE R.R. ... 2 ST. JAMES'S G. 2

Three Rock Rovers drew at Londonbridge road, playing without a goalkeeper, but with three backs—Donald, Law and Delaney. It was a game that either side could have won. Rovers had the better of the first half, and Cavanagh gave them an interval lead. The Gate fared better in the second half, when Woods and Murphy scored, the latter beating Law in a penalty bully. Rovers' second goal was scored by Luce.

PEMBROKE W. 3 AVOCA SCHOOL 1

Pembroke were not flattered by their 3-1 win in the return League match at Serpentine avenue. After gaining a lead of two goals in the opening stages, they were content to hold on to their advantage. In the second half Avoca had the better of matters, but they seldom looked like scoring. Their one goal was scored by Andrews in the closing stages. The Pembroke marksmen were H. Raby, Orr and Lee.

DALKEY ...... 4 RAILWAY UNION 2

Dalkey recorded their best performance of the season when they beat a strong Railway Union team at Park avenue. In the first half B. Huet and Haughton scored for the winners. On resuming Lonergan (penalty corner) and Collins scored for Railway Union, and Stokes and V. Huet for Dalkey.

CORINTHIANS ... 1 PORTRANE ... 1

Portrane had slightly the better of a good, fast game at Templeogue. The visitors had only nine players, when D. Cole put Corinthians ahead after five minutes' play. Shortly before the interval Griffin equalised from a perfect pass from Caprani. Portrane held the initiative in the second half, but the defence was sound.

SCHOOLS' MATCH

LEINSTER ...... 2 SOUTH-EAST ... 1

A marked weakness in attack prevented Leinster Schools from beating South-East Schools by a bigger margin at Londonbridge road. The Leinster defence was the more solid, Medcalf being a tower of strength. All the goals came early in the first half, Rowe (2), for Leinster, and Greated being the scorers.

Munster Senior Cup (final) — Wanderers 3, Limerick Y.M.C.A. 3. At Cork. Replay at Limerick.

GOLF CLUB RESULTS

Bray—Craig Cup: Capt. Kelly, all sqr.; P. Larkin, 1 down.

Castle—Medal I: T. G. Garland (9), 73; W. R. Reynolds (7), 74; J. Gregory (10), 74. II: J. McCormack (16), 73; J. Shaw (18), 74; J. Torney (20), 77.

Clontarf—Medal I: V. Clarke (11), 73. II: S. Gannon (13), 74. Saturday—Robinson Cup, qualifying round, stroke, h'caps. 15 and over.

Dun Laoghaire—Medal I: E. F. Duke (9), 70. II: D. Rowlands (14), 70. III: H. E. Phillipson (21), 72. Capt. Pike's prize: D. M. Hogan (6), 71. Easter Monday: Fourball a.m. and p.m.

Grange—Fourball: P. A. Love (4) and J. P. Kennedy (14), 8 up. Saturday: Medal. Ladies—To-morrow: Sweepstakes, bogey. Medal postponed to April 14. Entries close for match play sweepstakes April 11th. Eclectic—I: Miss V. Cullen (7), 34. II: Miss Corbett (18), 35.

Greystones—Medal: F. C. Symes (12), 74.

Killiney—Glenageary Cup—Leading scores: G. Walker (3) and J. L. Hackett (16), 73½; K. Burke (10) and L. Moran (14), 80; M. J. Cullen (7) and W. J. M'Cormack (8), 80½. Draw in clubhouse.

Kilcroney—Sealed holes: J. W. Lane (12), 37; W. F. Byrnes (12), 37.

Milltown—Medal—I: R. R. Smith (6), 72; R. E. Devitt (8), 72. II: J. Killen (13), 74; J. M'Loughlin (14), 78. Saturday—Fourball, bogey.

Newlands—Medal—I: R. Drew (9), 76. II: M. O'Neill (18), 72.

Rathfarnham—Club Foursomes—Qualified: T. C. Foster and J. L. M'Hugh v. J. M. Smith and C. S. Hartnett; J. B. Johnston and V. K. Bailey v. H. R. Glover and T. E. Joughin; Comdt. C. S. Doyle and G. K. Deane v. A. Pullan and H. L. Millington; J. J. Kelly and Major J. O'Dwyer v. G. Dobson and D. McCoil.

Howth—Club Cup—I: M. Cronin (9), 74; R. O'Hanlon (11), 80. II: G. K. Langley (16), 71; L. Kearon (20), 74.

Sutton—Medal—I: P. J. Moloney (10), 3 down. II: J. Callaghan (16), 6 down. Friday—Match play. Entries M'Dowell Cup close April 10th. Ladies—To-morrow Medal, bogey. Draws 10.15, 2.40, 6 o'c. Entries Macnaughton Cup close 6th April 5.30. Lady captain's team won by 5 matches to 3.

The Island—Ladies—Sweepstake (13 holes): Mrs. Robinson, 52½. April 5th Medal, bogey.

Malahide—Ladies—To-morrow: Medal, 9 holes, strokes. I.L.G.U. Spoon: Miss E. O'Rourke.

ARMY MAN WINS CROSS-COUNTRY TITLE

Run over a testing nine miles course at Thurles racecourse yesterday, the senior cross-country championship (N.A.C.A.) was won by Cpl. J. Maguire (Curragh A.C.) in 43 mins. 30 secs. The team prize again was won by Feakle A.C. with 60 points. The individual winner ran an exceptionally good race all through. He kept his place with the first four for five laps, and in the sixth and last he went well in front, with Megan (Gort) in close attendance. Coming into the straight he pulled out with a strong burst, to gain a well-earned victory by 50 yards.

1, Cpl. J. Maguire (Curragh A.C.); 2, Megan (Gort); 3, Gur. M. Moloney (Clonmel); 4, Pte. J. Haughey (Curragh); 5, D. Walsh (Feakle); 6, P. Fitzgerald (Feakle); 7, P. Cummins (Gort); 8, J. Egan (Gort); 9, J. J. Loughnane (Feakle); 10, R. Barry (Coolcroo); 11, J. Donnelly (Geraldine A.C.); 12, T. Quigley (Cork A.C.). Team placings—1, Feakle, 60 points; 2, Gort, 73; 3, Curragh, 90; 4, Coolcroo, 114; 5, 19th Battalion (Cork), 188; 6, Clonmel, 224.

TRIBUTE TO CAPTAIN CYRIL B. HARTY

Captain Cyril B. Harty, first instructor of the Army jumping team was presented with a silver salver at the Dolphin Hotel, Dublin, on Saturday night. Major-General Liam Hayes made the presentation, and Colonel M. Hogan, Colonel T. Holohan and Major J. D. Dwyer also paid tribute to Captain Harty.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

To-day — South Westmeath, Mount Temple (to finish the season).

To-morrow—Waterford, Clonea... 12 noon; Ballymacad, Oldcastle, 12 noon; Island, Ravenswood Gate.

State Auditor To Retire

By Our Political Correspondent

THE office of Comptroller and Auditor-General in Eire will become vacant shortly when Mr. George McGrath, who has held the office since 1922, will retire under the age limit. Mr. McGrath has held the office under the first Act passed by the Free State Government.

The importance of the position was recognised in the first Constitution as well as in that of 1939. Under the existing Constitution the holder of the office is to be appointed by the President on the nomination of Dail Eireann, and he is not removable from office except on a resolution passed by both Houses of the Oireachtas.

The Auditor-General is easily the most important officer in the Administration, since his duty is mainly to see that all monies voted by the Oireachtas are administered exactly as directed by Parliament.

Voluntary Youth Work

There were in Dublin County Borough about 20,000 boys between the ages of 14 and 16, of whom half could derive benefit from voluntary youth organisations, said the Rev. Fergal McGrath, S.J., at St. Patrick's Training College, Drumcondra, Dublin, yesterday, when he spoke on "Guiding Lines in Youth Direction," at the annual conference of the Society of St. John Bosco.

The number of boys' clubs, he said, was about thirty. Since 1938 the Society of St. John Bosco had existed for the purpose of fostering these clubs, and was responsible for fifteen in Dublin, five in Northern Ireland, and one each in Kilkenny and Waterford. Since 1942 the two centres of Comhairle le leas Oige had provided a type of club more markedly educational in character, but possessing many of the features of purely voluntary clubs. All these clubs together provided for about 2,000 boys.

Mr. T. Derrig, Minister for Education, said that the principles laid down by the Catholic Church for the education of youth, as stated by Father McGrath, showed how they should be guided. Social work generally was of importance in the world on account of its very present, very disturbed state. After the war there would be great confusion with social evils, and what the Society was doing now would help to deal with any situation in their own country. They were in a special position, as a Catholic country, to give good example to others and overcome the difficulties and dangers which may confront them.

The Lord Mayor of Dublin said that the civic authorities would give wholehearted support to the work of the Society.

Students' Musical Union

A big crowd foregathered at the Royal Irish Academy of Music on Saturday night for Guests' Night of the Students' Musical Union. A feature of the programme was the playing of the Academy Strings, conducted by Dorothy Stokes. Others contributing to an enjoyable night were Harold H. Johnston, Brian Boydell, Una Kenny and Annie Keelan; Posy Shreider, Nancy Buckley and Betty Smith; Betty Sullivan, Maureen Breslin and Daniel McNulty. The accompanists were Dorothy Stokes, Maureen Keegan and Carmel Turner.

MUSKERRY POINT-TO-POINT

After an absence of some years from point-to-point riding, Mr. N. D. Mahony staged a come-back at Muskerry Hunt fixture at Forest on Saturday. It was at this meeting, eighteen years ago, he rode his first winner. He will ride his own horse, Greek Minstrel, at Punchestown.

Confined Maiden Hunt Race. About 3 m.—Mr. Buckley's Paddy (Mr. T. Bennett), 1; Starlight (Mr. P. Donovan), 2; Rosewood (Mr. A. Scannell), 3. 5 ran. 3l.; 10l.

Open Maiden Race. About 3½ m.—Mr. L. Murphy's Piper II (Owner), 1; Gold Flake (Mr. G. Barry), 2; Neighbour (Mr. B. Quinlan), 3. 5 ran. Short head; bad.

Light-weight Race. About 3½ m.—Mr. P. Healy's Dan (Mr. N. D. Mahony), 1; Hishba (Mr. T. Bennett), 2; Ranchonelle (Mr. B. O'Connor), 3. 2l.; bad.

Heavy-weight Race. About 3½ m.—Mr. J. Neville's Magic (Mr. M. Neville), 1; Springfield Boy (Mr. N. D. Mahony), 2.

Sportsman's Race. About 3 m.—Mr. J. C. Tonson Rye's Pauline (Mr. C. Hurley), 1; Bumble Bee (Mr. T. Donovan), 2; Maytime (Mr. T. Kenneally), 3. 3 ran. 3l.; 2l.

CAUSES OF LABOUR SPLIT

A resolution condemning the action of Mr. James Everett, T.D., in seceding from the Labour Party and taking such a serious step without consulting members of the movement who were responsible for promoting his candidature at the last election was passed at a Labour Party conference in Aughrim, Co. Wicklow, yesterday.

Mr. W. Norton, T.D., who presided, in dealing with the party split, said that Mr. Everett was a member of the Administrative Council throughout 1942-43, and never once during those two years did he directly or indirectly raise the issue as to how the Labour Party conducted its business. If Mr. Everett was sincere, he would have admitted that the alleged Communists were admitted to the party when he was a member of the Executive. It was true his colleagues representing trade unions endeavoured to cancel the membership of James Larkin, senior, early in 1942, but counsel advised the Executive that the party could not lawfully terminate Larkin's membership unless something could be alleged against him at a recent date.

The truth of the matter was that the 21-year-old dispute between William O'Brien and James Larkin had been a source of weakness and disruption in the Labour movement, particularly in Dublin, and the party were anxious to end the breach. In 1942 they had nearly succeeded, but the election to Dublin Corporation of James Larkin, senior, revived the old antagonism, and towards last year the Transport Union endeavoured to secure the expulsion from the Labour Party of James Larkin, junior. They failed to convince members of the Executive and Larkin, junior, was selected to contest South Dublin by the unanimous vote of the Administrative Council, including eight members of the Transport Union, one of whom was Mr. Everett.

Reply to Canon's Sermon

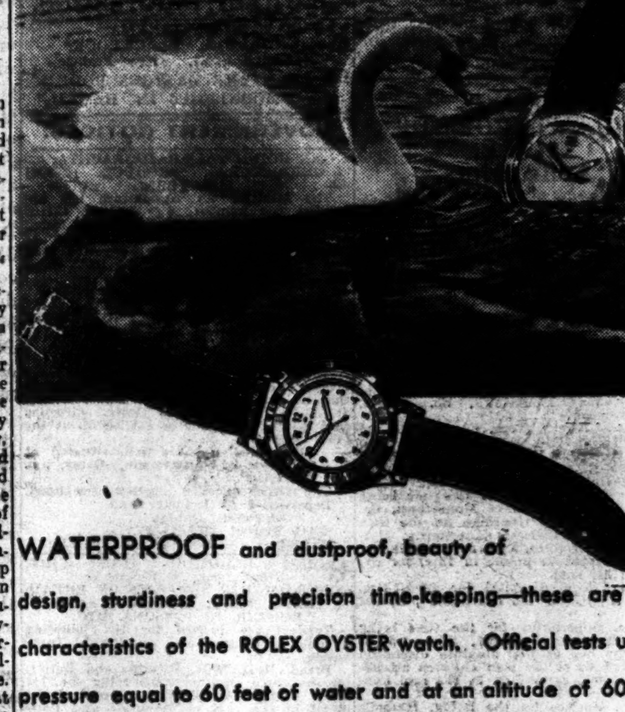
References were made to a recent sermon of the Rev. Canon W. C. Simpson by the Rev. E. Savell Hicks, M.A., when he preached at the Unitarian Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, last night.

Commenting on Canon Simpson's reference to Unitarianism and Christian Science as "distorted creeds," he observed that it seemed a pity to send young men out into the Christian ministry with such phrases of foolish intolerance ringing in their ears and vibrating in their minds, nor did it seem that they would be thereby strengthened in their work or increased in their usefulness as interpreters of the Christian outlook. If people left one church to join another, whether the "leakage" was into the Canon's household of faith, or out of it, the inference might merely be that such people were seeking a spiritual home to meet their spiritual requirements. They had the right and duty to find a church if they could that satisfied such need, whether it be Catholic or Protestant, Unitarian, or anything else, and, having found it, they owed it their loyalty and support.

The term "distortion," he added, would suggest something that did not conform to a certain specified pattern. One would have to infer that in Canon Simpson's estimation there was only one such model form—his own—and anything that did not conform to his pattern had lost its proper shape and outline. He (speaker) could imagine other theological designs making the same claim, and possibly thinking the Canon's Church distorted according to the standard they happened to set up.

About a century ago, he concluded, permission was granted by their Church, then in Eustace street, to the Rector and parishioners of St. Andrew's to use it during the period when their building was undergoing repairs. The two congregations met at different hours for fourteen years, and on their return to St. Andrew's a resolution of grateful acknowledgment was tendered and the offer made of similar shelter should occasion ever arise. That was an episode which all concerned might well feel proud, and it would be a pity if the lapse of 100 years marked the lapse into a less brotherly spirit.

Milk Threat Disapproved.—Cork County Committee of Agriculture has adopted the Kerry resolution urging that the price of milk at the creameries be continued at one shilling per gallon, but expressed disapproval of the clause threatening to withdraw supplies if the price were not maintained.



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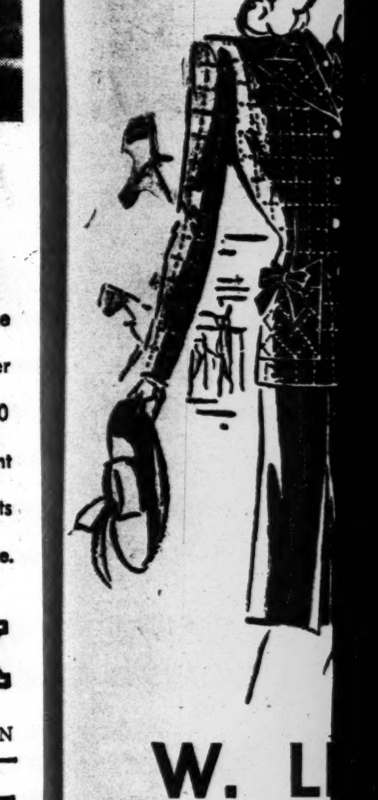

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Close of Army Missions

Tributes were paid to the regular attendances of the large numbers of the officers, non-commissioned officers and men by the Missioners at the various military centres throughout the country when the annual Lenten Missions concluded with customary military ceremonial on Saturday and yesterday (Palm Sunday). The Missions had been in progress during the week in all the barracks, and the annual Triduum was given in the smaller posts, camps and stations.

In their concluding addresses the Missioners complimented all present in the different barracks on the very large numbers who received Holy Communion, and urged all to continue faithful to their good resolutions. After the renewal of the Baptismal Vows the Missioners imparted the Papal Blessing. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament followed, and the Royal Salute was sounded by the buglers of the units. The Army bands accompanied the church parades during the week.

In Portobello Barracks the Mission was conducted by the Very Rev. J. Murray, C.SS.R., who was for many years Spiritual Director of the Men's Confraternities in Limerick and Belfast. Benediction was given by the Very Rev. Monsignor R. J. Casey, Head Chaplain, Defence Forces, assisted by the Rev. J. F. Kelleher, C.F.

Full military ceremonial was provided and the Royal Salute was sounded at the closing exercises of the annual Mission at the Curragh Camp. The Mission was conducted by the Very Rev. Father Cronan, C.P.; the Rev. Father Casimir, C.P.; the Rev. Father Albert, C.P., and the Rev. Father Celsus, C.P., Mount Argus, Dublin.

Education in Soviet Union

Margaret McMackin recently gave the Women's Social and Progressive League a description of the education of children in the Soviet Union. Before 1913, she said, less than eight million children attended any schools; now the number in primary and secondary schools is 35 millions. Every school has a doctor, a nurse, and a psychologist attached to it, and also a parents' council, which confers regularly with the school staff.

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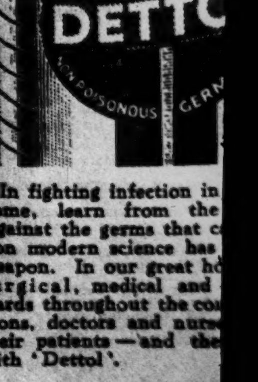

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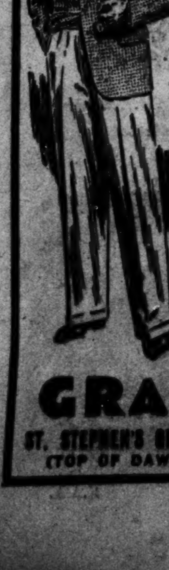

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Quiet Week On 'Change Small Selling

THERE was a further slowing down in business on the Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week, and markets were neglected. There are certain influences at work to keep public interest in check. The coming Easter holidays and the approaching Budgets are two factors which normally restrict business. On top of this the curtailment of electricity will affect everybody, and especially industrial enterprises, and may possibly cut down production to some extent. Although there is small scattered liquidation in progress the undertone remains quite firm.

Messrs. T. and C. Martin's preliminary figures would suggest some falling off in profit, but the Ordinary dividend is maintained at 12½ per cent. This company is well managed, and has a sound financial record. The Ordinary shares are a good industrial holding. Its post-war prospects appear bright.

SMYTH'S RISE.

There was strong buying of Smyth and Co. Ordinary shares up to 35s. Since 1940 the dividend on these shares has been 8 per cent. There is a ready market for the company's products, and the prospects are regarded as excellent. At the present price they give a return of £4 16s. 8d., which is comparatively good from a share in this category.

Pye (Ireland) Ordinary encountered a certain amount of selling pressure following the publication of the report. As long as the emergency lasts this company must experience difficulty in replenishing stocks, but if one is prepared to take a long view they should prove a valuable lock-up. When more peaceful times return it will be found that great strides have been made in television, and this company should be in a good position to take advantage of any new developments.

Ever Ready (Ireland) Ordinary shares have been attracting a little more attention, and they are now around 10s. 6d. This company has done well since the outbreak of war, and, although sufficient supplies of raw materials have been difficult to obtain, it has succeeded in earning satisfactory profits. For the past three years an Ordinary dividend of 10 per cent. has been paid. These shares should pay for their keep.

There has been good buying of Grand Canal issues recently, and the Ordinary shares are hovering around 110s. rather buyers. The last report showed a further expansion on profits, and the Ordinary dividend was raised from 2½ to 3½ per cent. In view of the serious transport difficulties this company has come into its own again, for its barges are most suitable for carrying turf, timber, etc., from the country to the city. As long as the emergency lasts the company should continue to do well, but the prospects for after the war are rather uncertain. At the current level they would appear to be fully valued; for, on the existing dividend, they give a return of £5 18s. 2d. per cent.

Interest in Home Rails has dried up considerably, and some liquidation has caused irregularity in price movements. Great Northern issues are showing a steadier appearance. The Ordinary, which is now around 20½, does not look overvalued. On the present dividend of 2½ per cent. the return for money invested is high, and more than compensates for any risk taken. There are many difficulties confronting transport companies in general, but, as a war-time holding, G.N.R. Ord. are not without attractions.

FOOD MARKETS

DONCASTER.—Market still unsettled by neighbouring foot-and-mouth restrictions. Best dairy cattle £55, calving heifers to £42, three year bullocks to £42, five year olds to £28. Pig prices firmer; suckers to 50/-, small stores to 90/-, strong stores to £7, in piggers to £12.

CARLISLE. Slight increase in numbers at the Irish cattle market, there being forward 470 head, of which 444 were licensed cattle. Trade again quiet, in sympathy with that ruling at other centres, and prices remained unchanged. Quotations:—Wintering bullocks £23 to £30, feeding bullocks £28 10/- to £37, wintering heifers £20 to £26 10/-, feeding heifers £25 to £32 10/-, bulling heifers to £26.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Cabbage in fair supply with demand brisk. Swedes and mangolds easier. Other classes a fair sale. York cabbage, large 40/- to 100/-, small 20/- to 40/-; Savoy, large 35/- to 97/-, small 15/- to 30/- load; swedes 2/- to 3/-, mangolds 2/- to 3/- per cwt.; cauliflowers 1/- to 4/-, seconds 1/- to 2/-, lettuce 6d. to 3/- doz.; rhubarb 4/- to 10/-, carrots 3/- to 5/- doz. bunches, 5/- to 10/- bag; parsnips 6/- to 8/-, parsley 1/-, artichokes 1/6 to 2/6 chip; turnips 6d. to 10d., kale 3d. to 6d., scallions 1/- to 3/- bunch, and mushrooms 6/- per lb.

DUBLIN FISH.—Supplies included 327 salmon, 9 lots lobsters, 50 boxes herrings and a fair amount from country senders. Demand fair at:—Lobsters 20/- to 60/- per 13; salmon, best 3/6 to 3/9, inferior 2/-, trout, best 3/- to 3/6, inferior 1/6, soles 1/4 to 3/6, turbot 1/- to 1/11, brill 1/6 to 1/10 per lb.; herrings 45/-, plaice 60/- to 140/-, cod 15/- to 40/-, whiting 40/-, and ray 41/- to 48/- box.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Fair supplies, with sales steady at:—Champions and Tipperary Dates 10/6, Spry's Abundance and Kerr's Pinks 10/-, and Banners 9/- per cwt. ex store.

How Stocks Moved

THE following are the price changes for the past week on the Dublin Stock Exchange:—

	Mar. 24.	Mar. 31.	
RISES.			
4th Nat. Loan..	105½	106	+½
Agreement Loan	108	108½	+½
Security Loan	105½	105½	+½
4% Land Bonds	107	107½	+½
War Loan	104½	104⅞	+⅜
Bray 3½% 1963 ..	95½	97	+1½
Dublin Corp. 3½% 1955-80	103	103½	+½
Dublin Corp. 4½% 1955-77	109	109½	+½
Do. 5% 1950-70	109	109½	+½
Limerick Corp.	100	100½	+½
Waterford Corp. 3½% 1956/72	98	99	+1
Guinness Pref.	18½	18⅝	+⅛
Power Deb.	23/3	23/6	+0/3
G.N.R. Guar. ...	59½	62	+2½
D.U.T.C. Ord. ..	25/3	26/0	+0/9
Do. Pref.	25/3	26/0	+0/9
Shell Ord.	74/0	74/9	+0/9
A. Ironfounders	15/6	16/0	+0/6
Cement Ord.	43/1½	43/3	+0/1½
Clondalkin	6/7½	6/9	+0/1½
Ever Ready Ord.	10/3	10/6	+0/3
Heiton Pref.	96/11	97/0	+1/1
Helys Pref.	28/0	28/3	+0/3
Hely's Deb.	193/6	195/0	+1/6
Irish Times 1st Pref.	89/6	90/0	+0/6
Kapp & P.	15/0	15/6	+0/6
Polikoff Pref. ..	21/3	21/9	+0/6
Salts (I.) Pref.	20/6	21/0	+0/6
Smyth Ord.	29/4½	35/0	+5/7½
H. Williams Ord.	97/6	100/0	+2/6
Elec. & Musical	28/10½	29/9	+0/10½
Bleachers	9/4½	9/10½	+0/6
Courtaulds	52/6	53/1½	+0/4½
FALLS.			
	Mar 24.	Mar. 31.	
Conversion Loan	111	110	−1
Exchequer Bds.	110	109½	−½
Dublin Port & Docks 4% 1975/95	104½	104	−½
Distillers Ord....	88/6	87/3	−1/3
Guinness Ord. ..	139/3	137/6	−1/9
G.N.R. Ord.	21½	20½	−1
Do. Pref.	39½	38½	−1
G.S.R. Ord	53	49	−3
G.S.R. Pref.	51	50½	−½
Do. Guar.	68	67½	−½
Dublin Gas Ord.	20/7½	20/3	−0/4½
Ranks (I.) Ord.	14/0	13/0	−1/0
Assoc. Choc. Pref.	22/9	22/6	−0/3
Burke Def.	4/6	4/3	−0/3
Do. Pref.	10/3	10/0	−0/3
Carroll Ord.	35/1½	35/0	−0/1½
Do. Pref.	28/6	28/3	−0/3
Cement Deb.	110½	109½	−1
Goulding Ord. ..	30/0	29/6	−0/6
Cinemas Pref. ..	21/6	21/3	−0/3
May Roberts	62/0	61/6	−0/6
Fye (I.) Ord. ..	8/3	8/0	−0/3
B.A. Tobacco ...	111/0	109/9	−1/3
Fine Spinners ..	21/10½	21/0	−0/10½

Pim's Capital To Be Reconstructed

PIM BROTHERS, LTD., the big Dublin drapery firm, is to put forward proposals for the reconstruction of its capital as soon as circumstances permit.

This news is contained in the report of the directors for the year ended January 31st last, issued over the week-end.

Profit on trading for the year was slightly higher at £15,096, compared with £14,227 for the previous twelve months. Adding the sum of £7,278 brought into the accounts, there is £23,274, from which must be deducted Debenture interest, £1,579, and a transfer of £10,000 to stock reserve, thus leaving a balance of £11,695, which it is proposed to carry forward.

NO DIVIDEND

The Preference dividend is now 12½ years in arrear, and, having regard to the necessity for conserving the company's cash resources, the directors are unable to recommend that any part of these arrears be paid. It is obvious, states the report, that before the payment of any dividends can be resumed a reconstruction scheme must be submitted to, and approved of, by the shareholders.

This matter will have the close attention of the directors, and, as soon as circumstances warrant, the necessary steps will be taken, adds the report.

The present issued capital of the company is £190,000, divided into 20,000 5½ per cent. Cumulative Preference shares of £5 each, and 30,000 Ordinary shares of £3 each. In addition, there is £39,485 in 4 per cent. Debenture stock outstanding.

The balance sheet at January 31st last shows total assets of £286,540 made up as follows:—Premises, plant and fixtures, £156,426; investment, £403; stock in trade (less reserve), £103,825; sundry debtors (less reserve), £24,768; expenses paid in advance, £504; and cash, £324. On the other side, sundry creditors, bank overdraft, cash depositors and provision for taxation stand at £48,360.

RISE IN SHARES

Various rumours during the past few months were responsible for strong buying of the company's shares, which scored huge gains. From a low level last year of 4s. 6d. the Ordinary shares have come up to 11s., while the Preference, which touched 27s. 6d. last year, and 3s 9d. in 1939, rose to 72s. 6d. early this year. Friday's quotation was 52s. 6d. The Debenture stands at 82.

The fortunes of the company have taken a turn for the better since the outbreak of war. A loss of £3,631 in the year before the war was wiped out in the following year, but after that they had a set-back followed by net profits, after tax and Debenture interest, of £7,302 in 1941-42 and £12,648 in 1942-43.

Great interest attaches to the annual meeting, which will be held in the company's restaurant on Tuesday, April 11th, when it is hoped that shareholders will be informed of whatever scheme the directors have in mind.

Fullest details of the scheme at the earliest possible moment will be welcomed on the Stock Exchange, and put a stop to any further speculation in the shares.

Shipping Share Prospects

THE strength of the investment section on the London Stock Exchange affords substantial support for markets as a whole, and, providing that this section maintains its present good tone, increased activity is predicted in other directions. The chief obstacle is the shortage of supplies. Selling during the recent period of inactivity has been extremely moderate, and dealers have been unable to increase their supplies to any extent. This factor means that values must move to still higher levels with any expansion in the buying force.

The emphasis placed by the directors of the Lamport and Holt Line on the substantial assets of the company as a reason for refusing an offer of 22s. 6d. for the 6s. 8d. shares has drawn attention to the large liquid balances the leading shipping companies are now able to show in their balance sheets. These balances, mostly the result of insurance payments for losses at sea, will, no doubt, eventually be spent in restoring fleets to their pre-war position, and should for many years to come find profitable employment for the great shipbuilding companies on the Tyne, the Clyde, the Mersey and at Belfast.

As investments, therefore, leading shipbuilding companies may be regarded with some favour, not only because the yields they offer to-day are rather more substantial than in many other industries, but on account of the prospect of continued prosperity after the war.

One of the most important is John Brown and Co., the famous Clydebank company, with an issued capital of £2,854,042 10s. Many fine ships have been launched from its yards, and its war record of 10 per cent., tax free, despite heavy taxation, is substantial. Its financial year ended on March 31st, and the results will be available in June. Its 10s. shares are quoted at 26s. 6d. at which they offer the substantial yield of £7 10s. 11d. gross.

Swan Hunter and Wigham Richardson, Ltd., is the Tyneside company with an issued capital of £2,500,000. Here again taxation has limited profits available for dividend, but throughout the war 10 per cent. has been paid, and this is to be increased to 12 per cent. for 1943. Its £1 shares at 36s. 6d. give a yield of £6 17s. 6d. per cent.

R. and W. Hawthorn Leslie and Co., Ltd., is another Tyneside concern paying regular 15 per cent. dividends. Its capital is £537,412 10s., all in Ordinary stock, with no Debentures. At 53s. the 10s. shares yield £4 11s. per cent. William Doxford and Sons, Ltd., of Sunderland, is another smaller company, with a capital of £750,000, whose war-time dividends have risen from 12½ to 15 per cent. Its £1 shares at 58s. 6d. give a yield of £5 2s. 7d. per cent.

Then, of course, there is Harland and Wolff, Ltd., with yards at Belfast, Glasgow and elsewhere. Its capital, reorganised in 1937, is now £6,996,092, and its Equity shares, the "B" Ordinary, have for three years received 6 per cent. They are quoted at about 15s., at which they offer a yield of £8 per cent.

WALL STREET

New York, Saturday.—The Stock Exchange opened steady, but quiet. Apart from selected rails and specialities, the market was somewhat hesitant.

Prices towards the close were slightly uneven, and the market finished with an irregular trend. (Reuter.)

COMPANY MEETING

IRISH PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETY ASSETS INCREASED

THE annual general meeting of the Society was held in Jury's Hotel on Friday last.

The chairman, Mr. Ignatius J. Scully, called upon the secretary, Mr. Edmund Farrell, to read the notice convening the meeting. This having been done, the secretary read the minutes of the last meeting, held on March 31st, 1943, which were approved and signed by the chairman.

The chairman, in proposing the adoption of the directors' report and statement of accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1943, said:—In considering the report and accounts for the Society's sixtieth year it will be observed that the net increase in investors' balances was £45,139 16s. 3d., and that the amount received from investors during the year was £50,882 4s. 6d. These figures reflect the high regard in which the Society's shares are held by the investing public. The strong element of security carried by the shares and the ease with which they may be converted into cash without charge or deduction of any kind is sufficient justification of this regard, and, in addition to the foregoing, the dividend of 3½ per cent., free of income tax, which is maintained, and sanctioned by the Board, makes investment with the Society a most attractive proposition for the careful investor. In the case of those liable to tax at the full standard rate, the dividend is the equivalent of £6 per cent. per annum.

HOUSING LOANS

In the year under review the total assets of the Society increased by £49,727 0s. 5d., the cash receipts from all sources being £61,788 1s. 4d. For this, the 60th year of satisfactory progress, the Society is indebted to the secretary and staff for their conscientious and enthusiastic service.

In my view the success of the Society must depend ultimately upon the demand for its house purchase loan service, and upon the speed and efficiency of that service. Since the opening of its new head office at 42 Dame street there has been a rapid increase in the number of house purchase loan applications. The total advanced by the Society during 1943 was £47,250 12s. 10d., and this augurs well for the continued success of the Society. The efficiency and speed of the Society's mortgage loan service is second to none, and in this regard the Society is indebted to its solicitor, Mr. A. D. O'Riordan, of Messrs. Taylor, Son and Robinson, who redoubled his efforts during 1943.

The chairman's resolution was seconded and passed unanimously. The retiring directors, Mr. I. J. Scully and Mr. J. Keenan, were re-elected, as was Mr. Joseph Sheircliffe, the members' auditor.

A dividend at the rate of 3½ per cent. on all shares was declared.

Poultry Exports Were Suspended

Arrivals of salmon in the Manchester markets last week consisted mainly of Irish and Scotch fish, which cleared readily at 4s. 9d. per lb., wholesale.

A fair supply of poultry was available about mid-week, but later, with the temporary suspension of consignments from Eire, there was again a shortage from most centres, says our Manchester correspondent. Available birds were in brisk demand at maximum control prices. Chickens, fowls, ducks, geese, 1s. 9d.; turkeys 2s. 9d. per lb.

The season for rabbits is now drawing to a close but some Eire case rabbits were available at 1s., Scotch 11½d. per lb., all wholesale.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

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BIRTHS

MATHEWS—March 20, 1944, at Rotunda Hospital, to Beatrice, wife of Eric J. Mathews, Portarlington, a daughter (Annette Doreen).

Ó DROLCÁIN—Márta 27, 1944, i mBanaltrar Wentworth, do Bronn Dia mac ar Brian Ó Drolcáin agus a céile, Róire Nic Conmara, 71 Bóthar Eiblin, Baile an Bóthair.

PRIGGE—March 29, 1944, at Mellifont Nursing Home, Dun Laoghaire, to Sheila, wife of C. G. Prigge, Cromarty, Killiney road, Dalkey, twin daughters.

SILVER WEDDING

BURNS and SHAW—April 2, 1919, at Parish Church, Rugeley, Staffordshire, Lieut. Charles P. Burns, Royal Irish Regiment, of Giffnock, Glasgow, to Margaret Shaw, Q.M.W.A.A.C., of Merrion, Dublin. Present address: 18 Maxwell Drive, Pollokshields, Glasgow, S.1.

DEATHS

ARMSTRONG—March 31, 1944, at her residence, Carrenree, Dromard, Co. Sligo, Annie, relict of James Armstrong. Funeral took place Sunday, to Skreen Cemetery.

BAMBER—April 2, 1944, at his residence, Farm Lodge, Ballymena, John, beloved husband of Agnes Bamber. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), at 3 p.m., to Ballymena Cemetery. No flowers.

BRUNKER—March 31, 1944, at a private nursing home, after a long illness, Frances Jane Brunker, in her 75th year. Funeral private. No flowers or letters, please.

BULL—April 2, 1944, at 54 Upper Drumcondra road, Walter Thomas Bull, after a brief illness. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, Edith, and children. Service at Drumcondra Church to-morrow (Tuesday), 4th April, at 10.45 a.m. Funeral to St. George's Burial Ground immediately afterwards.

COGHLAN—April 2, 1944, (suddenly), at 25 Spencer Villas, Glenageary, Doris, beloved and only daughter of the late Thomas Coghlan and Mrs. A. L. Coghlan. Funeral and house private.

COSTER—March 31, 1944, at a Dublin Hospital, Audrey, dearly-loved only daughter of George and Dorothy Coster, Kilcroney, Bray. Deeply regretted by her Mammy, Daddy and little brother, Edward. Funeral Service to-day (Monday) at Kilbride Church, at 2.30, thence to Enniskerry Churchyard. "Safe in the Arms of Jesus."

CRUIKSHANK—April 1, 1944, at Adelaide Hospital, Sophia, widow of Thomas Cruikshank, late of Billis, Virginia. Funeral, Bellasis, to-morrow (Tuesday), 12 noon.

FRY—Friday, March 31, 1944, at Brown's Park, Marino, Co. Down, Isabella widow of Henry Fry, Drogheda.

HEALY—March 31, 1944, at the Mater Hospital, Dublin, Patrick Joseph, 27 Upper Sherrard street, Dublin, son of the late Edward B. Healy. R.I.P. Remains were removed to Jesuit Church, Upper Gardiner street, last evening at 2.30 o'clock. Funeral after 9 o'clock Mass to-day (Monday), to Glasnevin Cemetery. Funeral strictly private.

HOLMES—April 1, 1944, at her residence, 10 Whitehall Gardens, Terenure, Margaret, wife of Samuel Holmes. House private. Funeral (private) arriving Mount Jerome to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, 10.30. At Rest.

JOHNSTON—March 31, 1944, at his residence, 20 Trafalgar terrace, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, Meredith Johnston, aged 84 years. Service at Monkstown Church to-morrow (Tuesday), 4th April, at 9.45. Funeral to Mount Jerome Cemetery immediately afterwards. No flowers, by his special request.

KELLY—April 1, 1944, at the Co. Hospital, Roscommon, Fanny Lucy Kelly (*née* Power), Dysart, Ballinasloe, Co. Roscommon, relict of Denis J. Kelly. R.I.P. Remains removed from hospital to Dysart Church yesterday (Sunday). Requiem Mass to-day (Monday) at 12 o'clock (O.T.). Funeral immediately afterwards to Dysart Cemetery.

RAYMOND—April 2, 1944, at No. 2 Windsor terrace, Malahide, Colonel Richard Wellington Raymond, in his 85th year. "I heard the voice of Jesus say, Come unto Me and rest." Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), 4th, at St. Andrew's Church, Malahide, 12 o'clock.

REDDY—April 1, 1944, at St. Brigid's Private Nursing Home, James Reddy, *Nationalist and Leinster Times*, Carlow. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and relatives. R.I.P. Requiem Mass at 10 o'clock to-day (Monday) in the Cathedral, Carlow. Funeral immediately afterwards to St. Mary's Cemetery.

RYAN—April 2, 1944, at her residence, Coalmarket, Carlow, Kate Mary Ryan. R.I.P. Remains will be removed from residence to-day (Monday) to Carlow Cathedral at 7 o'clock (S.T.). Office and High Mass at Cathedral to-morrow (Tuesday) at 11 o'clock (S.T.). Funeral immediately afterwards to Tinryland.

TACKABERRY—April 2, 1944, at Mill House, Newtownbarry, Co. Wexford, Margaret Hunter, beloved wife of Nathaniel Tackaberry, P.C., aged 72 years. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), 4th inst., at 2 o'clock (O.T.).

THOMPSON—April 2, 1944, at his residence, Rooskey Thompson, Francis Henry Thompson. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), 4 o'clock (S.T.), at Mohill Church. At Rest.

TUTHILL—April 1, 1944, at Charlton, 54 Cowper road, Dublin, Catherine Jane, daughter of the late Captain William Tuthill, of Moyglare House, Co. Meath.

SMYTH—March 31, 1944, at his residence, 7 Palmerston Park, John M. Smyth. R.I.P. Deeply mourned. Remains were removed to Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar, 2.30 o'clock last evening. Funeral (private) after 10 o'clock Mass to-day (Monday).

STOTESBURY—April 2, 1944, at the Meath Hospital, Jane, widow of A. T. Stotesbury (late of Merrion and Rock Hill House, Blackrock). Deeply mourned by her loving daughter, sister and brother. Funeral private. Psalm 23.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this column will be found on Page 3.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family of the late **Mrs. Sarah E. Whitten**, The Glebe, Ballybritt, Roscrea, wish to thank sincerely all who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, and hope this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

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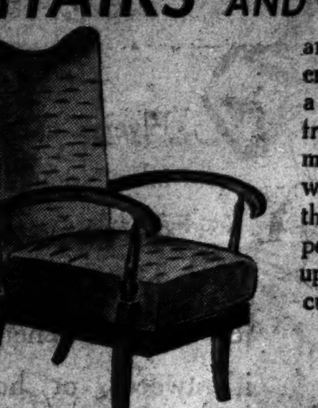

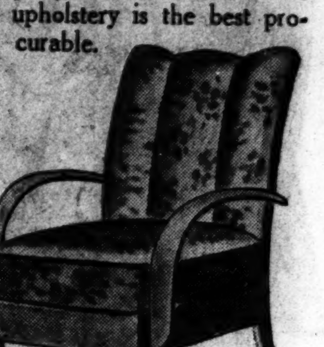

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